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The New York Times.

THE WEATHER
Partly cloudy and colder today;
Wednesday, fair and colder;
northwest gales.
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BOMBARDING FIUME BY LAND AND SEA; REBEL SHIP SUNK

Casualties of Besiegers Are Heavy, as Machine Gunners Dispute Their Advance.

REGULARS ENTER THE CITY

Reported to Have Carried the Public Gardens and Captured Railway Station.

ZARA HAS SURRENDERED

Legionaries and Dalmatian Volunteers Yield to Regulars After Vain Attack on a Warship.

Premier Giolitti Denies That d'Annunzio Is Wounded

ROME, Dec. 27.—A committee of members of the Chamber of Deputies was received this afternoon by Premier Giolitti, who informed them that the reports concerning the situation in Fiume were greatly exaggerated. He said that Gabriele D'Annunzio had neither been killed nor wounded.

The Premier added that the Government had purposely made a great display of force around Fiume in order to induce the legionaries to surrender, like those at Zara. Energetic action was indispensable for the application of the treaty of Rapallo, and also to prevent the Serbians from undertaking to settle the question, as they already had proposed to do, which would cause much graver complications.

Signor Giolitti said he trusted within a few hours that General Caviglia's troops would enter Fiume without further bloodshed. He denied that the battleship Andrea Doria had bombarded Fiume.

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MILAN, Dec. 27.—Besieged by land, blockaded by sea, d'Annunzio's rebellion at Fiume has entered its last phase. General Caviglia's regular troops, who were gradually pressing back the legionaries, are now within a mile of the central piazza of the city, where d'Annunzio, strongly fortified with artillery and barricades, elects to make his last stand.

An attempted rising against him on the part of the town population has been smothered in blood. Fiume itself is veiled in dense smoke caused by the burning of the adjacent forest and the blowing up of abandoned powder magazines. To retard the inevitable invasion the poet-warrior has sown with mines and fatal pitfalls all the narrow ways athwart which the advancing soldiery must necessarily pass. Four bridges giving access to the city have been blown up, and everything is in immediate readiness for the final destruction of the port.

At the expiration of the Christmas truce ordered by the Rome Government the fighting was resumed, and the last message announces that the Public Gardens and railway station have passed into the possession of the Italian battalions.

A band of Alpini, after having been invited to advance without firing, were treacherously ambushed in the rear and mercilessly butchered by d'Annunzio's Arditi.

D'Annunzio's legionaries at Zara, on the Dalmatian coast, have surrendered.

A daring effort to capture the warship Marsala was frustrated in the nick of time.

The pirate destroyer Espero is wreathed in flames.

Martial law has been proclaimed throughout the Julian Venice region as far as Cormons.

Reports of d'Annunzio's death are officially denied.

TRIESTE, Dec. 27 (Associated Press).—The regulars under General Caviglia are bombarding Fiume in combination with the navy, a systematic siege being under way. The guns are being directed against the Barracks, the Palace and similar buildings, the intention being to damage the city as little as possible.

The destroyer Espero, which recently deserted to d'Annunzio's side, has been sunk by a shell from the cruiser Andrea Doria.

The poet's resistance is of the most dogged nature. The casualties among the regulars are estimated at 50 killed and 100 wounded.

The forces investing Fiume have been reorganized and reinforced. Another Fiuman airplane was captured today, making the fourth that has fallen into the hands of the Government troops.

The Mayor of Fiume and another official have arranged for an interview with the commander of the Abbazia Division Tuesday.

ROME, Dec. 27.—Dispatches from Fiume say the legionaries in the city, using electric drills, are burning holes under the principal buildings in the leading thoroughfares through which the invading troops must pass and are mining them. They say it is their intention to blow up the town rather than surrender it.

At a sitting of the Municipal Council today Luigi Rava, Mayor of Rome, paid a tribute to those who have fallen in the

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"FLORIDA SPECIAL." Through all Pullman Club Compartment, Dining, Observation car train. No extra fare. Atlantic Coast Line R. R. Office, 1246 Broadway.—Advt.

$1,012,000 Is Asked To Keep Harbor Here Clean

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—An appropriation of $1,012,000 to be used in preventing deposits in New York Harbor was requested today of Congress by the Army Engineer Corps.

Part of the fund sought would be used to employ fifty additional deputies to board incoming oil-burning vessels to prevent the illegal discharge of refuse fuel oil into the waters of the harbor. Congress was informed that the oil discharges were proving to be a fire menace and were damaging property by polluting the water.

KILL 5, SEIZE 138 AT IRISH DANCE

Crown Forces Return Fire When a Policeman Is Shot Dead Near Bruff.

MANY MURDERS BY GANGS

Bullet in Heart Kills Woman Who Sought to Save Policeman Companion in Limerick.

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DUBLIN, Dec. 27.—More bloodshed is reported during Christmastide, the most serious incident occurring this morning. At Bruff, County Limerick, five armed civilians were shot dead, a policeman was killed and the Crown forces made 138 arrests, the biggest haul of prisoners yet effected.

I hear the affray occurred at a dance which was being held at the Guiltamore House, on the outskirts of the town, an empty mansion at one time in the occupation of the late Lady Fermoy.

Information reached the authorities that armed men were present at the dance. Sentries had been posted around the house and when the raiding troops arrived at 11:15 this morning they were fired on and a policeman was killed.

The fire was returned and five civilians were shot dead, each of whom was found afterward to be in possession of arms and ammunition. The prisoners captured are being detained pending an inquiry.

A tragedy also occurred at Limerick last night, the chief feature of which was the heroism of a girl who was shot dead while attempting to protect a policeman.

Just before 9 o'clock Constable Richardson was attacked by four men as he was walking on the street with Miss Elizabeth Scales, aged 22. After a struggle the men secured the constable's revolver. One of the assailants then leveled his revolver at the constable, and Miss Scales, in a heroic endeavor to save him, rushed in between and was shot through the heart.

Another case of heroic self-sacrifice is reported from Carrick-on-Barrow, County Wexford, where a shopkeeper named James Walsh, had been shot dead. His premises adjoined the police barracks, and, hearing the sound of revolver firing, the garrison turned out. They found the body of Walsh on his doorstep and captured a donkey cart in which was a powerful bomb.

Investigation revealed that a party of civilians in two motor cars arrived within half a mile of the town, where they met a man with a donkey and cart, and intimidating him with revolvers, placed the packages in the vehicle. Reaching Walsh's door it is presumed they wanted to place their packages in the upper rooms of his premises, which had been used as sleeping accommodation for the police. Suspecting their design he refused access to them, and the shots were fired with the result stated.

DUBLIN, Dec. 27 (Associated Press).—In Dublin the holidays passed fairly quietly, contrary to expectations. The curfew order was not relaxed, but on Christmas Eve it was to some extent ignored by roisterers throughout the night and there was much alarm and shooting, several persons being slightly injured.

A young soldier in civilian clothes was shot dead by a sentry in the grounds of the Royal Hospital in Kilmainham, on the west side of the city, for refusing to halt when challenged.

In different parts of the country men were shot dead by armed gangs.

There were faction riots in Londonderry Christmas night and Sunday, but the troops finally cleared the streets.

DAIL EIREANN FUNDS LOW.

Appeal and Threat Made to Collectors of Taxes.

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LONDON, Dec. 27.—The Local Government Department of the Dail Eireann issued last week a lengthy document ap-

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CALIFORNIA WILL SATISFY JAPAN ON NEW LAND LAW

Kahn Tells of Solution Reached to Bar All Alien Ownership.

TOKIO TO STOP EMIGRATION

House Members From California Will Meet Tomorrow to Discuss Negotiations.

SENATORS ARE CONSULTED

State Department Obtaining Informally Also Views of Representatives on Treaty.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—The solution of the perplexing Japanese question, which has been delicate because of the adoption of the referendum in California forbidding Japanese ownership of land, is approaching a satisfactory conclusion through negotiation.

This is the belief of Representative Julius Kahn of California, who has been in constant touch with the negotiations conducted between the State Department and the Japanese Government.

It was learned in high circles tonight that Japan is entirely satisfied with what the State of California intends to do in enforcing the referendum adopted in November. In order to make the purpose of the proposed law all inclusive, the State Legislature, Mr. Kahn said, according to late information received from his State, will pass a law forbidding alien ownership of any land. This will not only prevent future Japanese ownership, but will prevent the nationals of other countries buying oil lands and other property in California. A similar law now exists in the District of Columbia.

In return for this concession, which will not place Japanese nationals in a class by themselves, it is understood that the Japanese Government is willing to enact a law prohibiting Japanese immigration to the United States.

As soon as the Japanese Government has agreed to the terms of the treaty already drawn up, most of the details of which have been approved by both Governments, the treaty will be submitted to the Senate. It will merely agree to enforce the Japanese law which prohibits immigration to this country. But before such a treaty can be finally accepted by Japan the law preventing alien ownership in California must be operative.

The California members of the House will meet on Wednesday to discuss the negotiations.

Meanwhile the negotiations between Roland S. Morris, American Ambassador to Japan, and Baron Shidehara, the Japanese Ambassador to the United States, over pending issues between the two nations, have reached the point where the State Department has been discussing the alien land ownership problem informally with Senators, Representatives and Californians.

As stated in THE NEW YORK TIMES this morning, Ambassadors Morris and Shidehara having agreed on most of the points discussed, are considering the formulation of their views in reports to be submitted to the two Governments for consideration and approval. Ambassador Morris is taking a week's vacation and it is believed that word from the Japanese Foreign Office concerning the tentative suggestions so far considered is being awaited preparatory to the submission of the report of the Ambassadors to the State Department and to the Foreign Office.

It was declared authoritatively in Administration circles today that there was no conflict between the State Department and the State of California. Californians interested in the effort to obtain a just and lasting settlement of the question, and in reaching a permanent and non-discriminatory solution of the problem of Japanese immigration are represented as understanding the delicacy of the situation confronting the Federal Government, and the State Department likewise appreciates the California sentiment and the exigencies of the situation there as respects alien land ownership.

It also became known today that, besides the question of land ownership and immigration, which have been considered by Ambassadors Morris and Shidehara, their report will cover every other issue that has arisen between the two countries since 1892, including dual citizenship, many minor problems, and the manner in which any agreement that may be entered into by Japan and the United States may be carried out.

It was stated authoritatively today that the State department does not know of any collaboration between British Pan-Pacific dominions, such as Canada, New Zealand and Australia, and the United States respecting community of interests in the matter of exclusion of Japanese immigration.

It is assumed that what is meant in some of the currently published reports is that a study has been made of immigration legislation and alien land ownership laws in such British dominions, where, in respect to both questions, discrimination against the Japanese has been avoided, although undesirable immigration is excluded and Orientals cannot own land.

Two More North Dakota Banks Close, But Farmers Are Beginning to Sell Grain

Special to The New York Times.

FARGO, N. D., Dec. 27.—Two more State banks in North Dakota were closed today, the First Farmers of Minot and the Security State at Carpio, both owned by the Savings and Loan Trust Company of Minot. They had combined deposits of about $400,000 and $65,000 capital. This brings the total of closed State banks to twenty-seven in the last six weeks.

Three other State banks have closed in the three-week period since the State Bank Examiner adopted the policy of making no announcement concerning the closing of banks. These are the Merchants State of Napoleon, the Peoples State of Hatton and the First State Bank of Milton.

The banks which closed today at Minot and Carpio, as well as the bank at Hatton, have been known as Non-Partisan League banks, in that they were organized and backed by men prominently identified with the Non-Partisan League and were originally intended to be used as instruments for financing league activities. G. A. Ebbert, manager of the Minot and Carpio banks, said that both banks are solvent and would reopen when the farmers market their grain.

Even in the face of the additional bank closings, banking authorities express confidence that the State situation is greatly improved. The marketing of grain is still being delayed except in some sections, but the advice of Governor Frazier to the farmers to sell part of their products that they may begin the liquidation of accounts is having effect in many parts of the State.

PRIMEVILLE, Ore., Dec. 27.—The Crook County State bank of this place failed to open its doors today. Shrinkage of values of cattle and sheep on which the institution had made loans was said to have been responsible.

PALL MALL Rounds round in shape—at better class shops.—Advt.

Koh-i-noor Pencils and Mephisto Copying Ink Pencils, famous throughout the world for quality, supplied by Corliss, Macy & Co., Inc., 20 John St. & 7 E. 45th St.—Advt.

Admits Wasting $1,350,000 Within a Year; Steger's Brother to Guard the $150,000 Left

Special to The New York Times.

CHICAGO, Dec. 27.—Although able to administer efficiently the affairs of his corporation, George F. Steger, Treasurer of the Steger & Sons Piano Company, told the Probate Court today that he was unable to conserve his own fortune. He told Probate Judge Horner he was a "spendthrift." He told how within less than twelve months his personal wealth had dwindled from $1,500,000 to $150,000.

Judge Horner appointed his brother, Chris. G. Steger, President of the company, conservator of the estate. The latter's fortune is valued at $2,000,000. He gave bonds of $500,000.

Litigation began a year ago over the estate of John V. Steger, father of the present members of the firm and founder of the corporation. Mrs. Louise Steger, the widow, received her dower right of one-third of the estate, valued at $2,815,000. The two sons received the residue, which amounted to nearly $4,000,000.

"I can't tell what became of my part of the estate," George Steger testified today. "It just slipped through my fingers. I will be be content with the appointment of my brother as conservator of what I have left.

GERMAN SAVANTS AWED BY A FAKE

Scientific Circles in Furor Over Engineer's 'Discovery' of How to Break Up the Atom.

HAD OFFER OF $5,000,000

Declined Tests Capitalist Suggested—Got Some Money, It Is Said—Anyhow, He's in Jail.

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BERLIN, Dec. 27.—Willi Von Unruh, a Leipzig engineer, lately fluttered the German scientific dovecotes as they had not been fluttered since the finding of radium. He announced a discovery toward which the whole scientific world for years has been earnestly striving. Unruh said he had found a method of breaking up the atom. But he has not yet found a way of breaking out of jail.

What he claimed to have done is what nature does over an infinitely extended period of time and on an extremely small scale. In the case of radium by breaking up the atom or disintegrating it and harnessing the pent up power in it a boundless source of energy would be tapped. Such a discovery, as science knows, would open up endless possibilities. Each person could release from among his ordinary possessions enough motive energy to make him his own millionaire. In his cigarette case he could store enough force to carry him in an airplane around the world. Everything, indeed, would be revolutionized to a degree which would make the harnessing of steam and electricity appear by comparison to be the merest trifles.

Little wonder, then, that German scientists rushed in a body, as one might say, to see Unruh. Unruh received a large number of savants and arranged for a demonstration of his wonderful machine. When the great box was exhibited to those experts most of them were, according to one professor present, speechless with astonishment. There in front of them was an enormous case in which they could see there was curious machinery which broke up the atom and produced an electric current which kept five lamps each of 1,000 candle-power burning for hours on end.

Certainly everything appeared all right. There was no evidence that an electric current was introduced into the case from outside. Could they examine the case and machine to make quite sure, they asked? Unruh replied that at that time he could hardly permit such an examination. He had to protect his astounding secret. That was, of course, judged to be a reasonable attitude, and the savants dispersed to ponder over and discuss the terrific discovery.

Following on this exhibition some Bavarian newspapers hinted that there was something wrong with Unruh's machine. When he failed to reply they declared he was not quite honest. When that failed to draw him they boldly proclaimed he was simply an impostor. So the scientists came on the scene again. Could they see Unruh? That was impossible they were told, as he was unwell. A few days later when a British inquirer was somewhat more persistent the grim truth came out. Unruh was in jail. So the world will not be revolutionized for a while yet, and Herr Willi will go down in history with Ulivi, who six years ago played the rôle of a great inventor with an imposture about the wonderful ultra rays. By reason of his invention Ulivi managed to elope with an Admiral's beautiful daughter, but Herr Willi has added no such romance to his fraud. He has been mundane enough to make his alleged discovery the means of obtaining a considerable amount of other people's money, it is said, and so it is that his romance ends undramatically in a dull prison cell.

For some time to come certain German professors will be exceedingly snappy on the subject of breaking up the atom.

Syndicate Had Offered Him $5,000,000.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

LONDON, Dec. 28.—The Chronicle learns that several well known British capitalists were interested in Unruh's supposed wonderful invention. An offer of a million sterling for the rights in Great Britain, France and America actually was made to Unruh if his claims were substantiated. One of the conditions provided that the invention should first be subjected to a thorough test by eminent British scientists. The Chronicle representative had a talk with one of the British capitalists chiefly concerned in the offer. He said:

"Unruh is a man about 36 years of age and of exceedingly plausible manners. He was living in a rather lavish style in a large flat in one of the principal streets in Berlin. Attached to his flat were offices which indicated that he was interested in engineering and other projects. He kept several motor

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SIX (6) BELL-ANS in a Little HOT Water for INDIGESTION. Quick relief.—Advt.

HARDING TAKES UP FINANCE QUESTIONS

Talks With Representative Good About Appropriations and the Budget Plan.

WILL RESIGN TO GOV. DAVIS

Latter Will at Once Name Willis for Senator—Rabinoff Urges Trade With Russia.

Special to The New York Times.

MARION, Ohio, Dec. 27.—Senator Harding today began a study of Government appropriations, including the Sundry Civil bill, which is to be brought before Congress by Representative Good of Iowa, chairman of the Appropriations Committee, who conferred with him this morning.

Another interesting development of the day was the announcement that Senator Harding would not resign his Senate seat until Harry L. Davis was inaugurated as Governor, when he will name Frank B. Willis, Senator-elect, in the President-elect's place.

Mr. Good in his talk with the Senator pointed out that it was necessary for Republican leaders in Congress to be informed of the financial policies of the next administration. Mr. Good said after his conference that he was pleased with the progress that was being made in preparing appropriation bills of the short session. He said he would be back in Washington tomorrow to report the Sundry Civil bill. In former years, he said, it had never been possible to begin hearings on the bill before Jan. 1, and it has commonly been reported about Feb. 15. He went on:

"The total amount asked by the Government departments for this year's appropriations was just about $4,700,000,000, and I think we will be able to keep the appropriations within $3,500,000,000.

"This bill, as it will be reported, will carry, I think, not over $385,000,000. The departments asked a total of $803,000,000, while the current year's appropriation is $435,848,000.

"I pointed out to Senator Harding the importance, as it seemed to me, of having budget legislation passed by the present Congress, so that the fiscal operations of the new administration might be inaugurated on the budget plan. My suggestion was that the best possible budget system be secured at once, and that later it might be modified if necessary. It is, of course, desirable that the policy of the new administration be formulated as soon as possible, so that Congress may conform its program to that policy.

"The present Congress is making appropriations which will run well into the Harding administration, but will of necessity, represent the policy of the present rather than the incoming administration. Appropriations, of course, are made for the purpose of carrying out a particular line of policy, and it is therefore desirable that the policy should be known to the appropriating authorities as early as possible."

Mr. Good said that he had talked a little with Senator Harding about Cabinet matters, but was not at liberty to indicate what they were. There was a general assumption here that the President-elect was seeking information on matters of Government finances before he determined upon a Secretary of the Treasury.

Harry L. Davis of Cleveland, Governor-elect of Ohio, who will be inaugurated on Jan. 10, called on Senator Harding today. Later he said:

"Senator Harding said he wanted to have his resignation as Senator waiting for me on my desk at the State House when I should take possession, so that I might have the pleasure of immediately issuing a commission to Governor Willis as his successor."

Max Rabinoff, conductor of the Chicago Opera Company, who was economic adviser to the Baltic States during the Peace Conference, talked with Senator Harding, urging the early resumption of trade with Russia. He believes that without recognizing the Soviet Government it is possible to establish trade relations that will help materially to rehabilitate the country. He favored working through the great co-operative societies of Russia.

SEEK BLUEJACKET AND MISSING $72,000

Baltimore Police Are After H. W. Meyers, Alleged to Have Fled With Navy Yard Money.

BALTIMORE, Md., Dec. 27.—A general alarm was sounded in police and naval circles here tonight for the arrest of H. W. J. Meyers, 20 years old, a member of the crew of the destroyer Satterlee, alleged to have absconded from the Norfolk Navy Yard at 4:30 P. M. with $72,000.

Meyers, according to information in possession of Government officials, enlisted a short time ago as a third-class yeoman and was assigned to the Satterlee.

The money was delivered to the Norfolk Navy Yard from a Subtreasury by the American Railway Express Company. The package, the police believe, came into possession of Meyers while he was performing his duties as a clerk.

THE GREENBRIER offers every comfort and rest during holiday season. Bookings Plaza.—Advt.

$100,000 LOOTED FROM SPEYER MAIL SENT TO HAVANA

Emergency Shipment in Critical Days of Cuban Moratorium Lost.

SOLUTION BELIEVED NEAR

Frank Steinhart, for Whom Money Was Forwarded, Offers $10,000 for Its Recovery.

ARRESTS MADE IN HAVANA

Pouches Were Slashed Open and Found Rifled in the Post Office.

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HAVANA, Dec. 27.—It is believed here tonight that one of the big mysteries of the Cuban moratorium, the theft of 1,000 $100 bills from the Havana Post Office, is on the verge of solution. This currency was an emergency shipment sent in the critial early days of the moratorium from the banking house of Speyer & Co. in New York, when the cry from every side was for ready cash. The shipment was checked out of the New York banking house in the regular way, registered to the Cuban company of Frank Steinhart, general manager of the Havana Electric Company, and shipped as a rush consignment.

With other right of way shipments this cash reached Havana and arrived at the general Post Office. The secret police have made certain of that, according to information supplied tonight to THE NEW YORK TIMES correspondent by competent authority, and the money disappeared that same night.

Arrests were made within a very short time. Some of the arrested men are out on bail, and some of those taken were found to be in possession of mail not addressed to them which contained valuables destined to relieve the stress of the moratorium, but the missing $100,000 was not discovered.

Offers $10,000 Reward.

Within the last few days Mr. Steinhart has offered a public reward of $10,000 for the recovery of the missing fortune.

"I do not know exactly what is taking place," said Mr. Steinhart for THE TIMES tonight, at his mansion on the Prado, in response to a cabled inquiry from New York, "but I have been in touch very recently with some officials of the secret police, who profess to believe that they can supply the solution of this crime and perhaps bring about the arrest of the guilty parties. I believed that I should offer a stimulus in the material form of a substantial reward, and so I placed a price of $10,000 for the recovery of the large fund that is missing.

"The money reached the Havana post office all right. The records are clear upon that point. It also disappeared the very same night that it arrived.

Great Sums Sent to Cuba.

"Sipments of money to Cuba must be safeguarded at all times, and especially in times of stress when money is greatly needed in Cuba, must its transit be protected.

"There have been numerous shipments of really vast sums into this island since the moratorium began operating last October. Millions of dollars in actual currency and gold and silver have been brought here. American banking houses and American business interests responded nobly and promptly to the Macedonian cry for relief in actual cash.

"There were several days when actual cash could not be obtained in Havana. Those were lean days when travelers' checks were not to be cashed anywhere and when you could not sign a hotel meal check or place a marker at your favorite bar. Why, Havana almost became a Sahara right in the midst of oceans of good cheer. The visitors were practically panic-stricken to learn that their express traveling checks were not legal tender.

New York Led in Money Relief.

"Then came the relief from the United States, New York as usual leading. Every boat from Key West brought shipments. Some of the more alert New York banks and commercial houses telegraphed instructions for their Florida agents to hurry to Havana with currency to relieve the pay-roll needs, especially of their Cuban branches, and to place money in circulation here.

"There followed the express and registered mail pouches, containing immense sums, and then followed pilfering.

"For the last fortnight there has not been reported a single theft through the Post Office or the port. Cuba is coming again into her own. She has come out of the financial crisis with prospects brighter."

Efforts to Trace Missing Notes.

The disclosure in this city of the loss of a large amount of money in the Havana mail came when the Havana postal authorities wrote to firms, Speyer & Co. being among them, asking for the numbers of Federal Reserve notes which were among the loot obtained in what was described as an "inside" job. Interested persons here were not inclined to discuss the details of the vanishing of the money.

According to the report, which was confirmed in its essentials at the Speyer offices yesterday, the firm cashed a $100,000 check for a Cuban customer. The money, in Federal notes of large denominations, was enclosed in an envelope, provided with all of the usual safeguards and registered at the New York Post Office.

The registered Speyer packet and an unknown number of others were sealed in mail pouches in the General Post Office and dispatched on the first steamship leaving for Havana. It was established that the bags were not tampered with on the trip to Cuba, but that after they had been unloaded at the Havana pier thieves got into them. Clerks in the Havana post office found a number of the large pouches cut from top to bottom and their contents gone.

Cardinal Gibbons Urges All Catholics to use the MANUAL OF PRAYERS.—Advt.

Mexico to Open Agencies To Protect Her Workmen Here

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—Agencies to protect the rights of Mexican workmen in the United States will be established by the Mexican Government at Laredo, Piedras Negras, Mexicali and other border towns beginning next January, it was announced today at the Mexican Embassy.

The agencies will "see that all contracts between Mexican workmen and American employers are fulfilled," it was stated, and will endeavor to obtain the return of the workmen to Mexico upon expiration of the contracts.

2 SLAIN IN CAR E-77; POLICE RECORD LOST

Automobile in Which Double Murder Was Done Followed Police Auto Up 7th Avenue.

TWO QUIT CAR AND ESCAPE

Woman Victim a Mulatto and Man an Overseas Veteran of Col. Hayward's Regiment.

Less than ten minutes after a police automobile had passed the same corner, a man and a woman were murdered in an automobile at West 130th Street and Seventh Avenue shortly before last midnight.

The automobile bore the license number "E-77, New York." There was a device on each door, which resembled a Bishop's mitre.

When the police at headquarters looked up the record of ownership of the car bearing this number the record was missing. These records of automobile license numbers are kept on cards in blocks of fifty each. The list of owners of automobiles was complete in the block of E-51 to E-100 except for E-77. No explanation was forthcoming as to how this particular record happened to be missing. License numbers in two figures, however, are usually granted to persons supposed to be entitled to or to have special privileges in the streets.

Policeman Lewis Goodyear of the West 123d Street station was on patrol in Seventh Avenue just north of 125th Street, when he noticed a Cadillac limousine going north. The occupants of the car were negroes, but as they seemed to be orderly, the patrolman gave them no particular attention.

Less than a minute later he heard ten shots. The automobile turned toward the curb, and two figures leaped out and disappeared into West 130th Street.

Goodyear, giving the signal for assistance, ran toward the automobile. When he reached it, he saw a man and woman lying in the tonneau. Although both were seemingly dead, Goodyear called a passing taxicab and took both to Harlem Hospital, where it was found that each had been shot five times in the breast and that death had been instantaneous.

Letters in the possession of the woman led to her identifiation as Lucille Harper, 25 years old, of 123 West 131st Street. An identification card showed the man to be Raymond Amos, 35 years old, of 454 Lenox Avenue.

Amos was recognized by physicians at the hospital as having been there for treatment for insomnia on Oct. 26 last. He saw service overseas with the 365th Infantry, the old Fifteenth New York, of which Colonel William Hayward was commander, and was badly gassed.

The woman was a light mulatto. Both she and Lewis were well dressed.

The police learned that a quarrel had started suddenly among the occupants of the car after it had passed Policeman Goodyear. From this information, the police are proceeding on the theory that jealousy was the motive for the double murder.

Search of the street in the vicinity of the automobile led to the discovery of a Colt automatic pistol of the army issue, which led to the belief that its owner might have been one of the many negroes in the Harlem section who saw service during the war.

Captain Louis Haupt, in charge of the detectives of the Harlem inspection district, had a dozen detectives at work on the case in less than an hour from the time of the shooting. Of the two men who ran from the car just after the shots were fired, one is believed to have been the chauffeur, who, according to the police theory, was probably not the man who fired the shots.

The search this morning centred upon efforts to locate the supposed chauffeur, and there were said to be several clues to his identity. The police admitted that they were unable to get any immediate information concerning the other man.

FISHES BEFORE 'OPEN FIRE.'

Boston Man Builds House on Raft to Carry on Sport in Winter.

Special to The New York Times.

BOSTON, Mass., Dec. 27.—Edward W. Jacques, member of the Milton Yacht Club, believes that fishing through the ice is the hobby of hobbies for the Winter sportsman. To that end he has built for himself from his own designs a house on a raft so that he can fish through the floor of his living room while sitting "before his open fire" enjoying his pipe and all the comforts of home.

This novel idea of Mr. Jacques has made such a hit with his cronies that he has felt compelled to enlarge on his original plans, with the result that today four persons can fish at the same time. The craft is 18 feet in length and 8 feet wide, with the fishing room extending out over the water on one side.

When you think of writing Think of WHITING.—Advt.

POLICE GUARD PUT AT GATES OF CITY TO BAR CRIMINALS

Enright Orders Special Details to All Entrances in New Move to End Crime.

ACTS OF VIOLENCE CONTINUE

Shootings, Burglaries and Highway Robberies Reported Despite Intensive Warfare.

ENRIGHT TO VISIT JERSEY

Will Confer With Officials at Trenton on Interstate Co-operation to Meet Situation.

Ten days of intensive police warfare having failed to subdue criminals, Commissioner Enright yesterday adopted further repressive tactics. In his efforts to end the reign of lawlessness marked by such daring crimes as the Monk Eastman murder and a series of daring burglaries and highway robberies, the Commissioner organized a series of special picked squads to guard every terminal and every avenue of ingress into the city.

In furtherance if his design in this direction, Mr. Enright will go to Trenton today to attend the State-wide anti-crime conference called by Governor Edwards of New Jersey. This conference, which will be attended by State and municipal officers of New Jersey, police Chiefs, Sheriffs, prosecutors and representatives of the American Legion, will endeavor to formulate a comprehensive program for stamping out crimes of violence across the river.

Jersey "Sullivan Law" Sought.

A particular measure of co-operation was anticipated to a degree by the New York police in throwing their special screen about the entrances to this city. The police of both States are anxious to end the free passage of lawbreakers back and forth.

Another phase of the joint situation that will receive Commissioner Enright's particular attention, according to an announcement he made just before he quitted headquarters, is the purchase of firearms and ammunition. Ever since New York enacted the Sullivan law, policemen, prosecutors and Judges have protested that the statute virtually was nullified by the free market which New Jersey communities afforded criminals.

In explanation of the duties of the new squads who are to act as a sort of border patrol, Mr. Enright made this announcement:

"Special squads have been organized to watch over all railroad terminals, ferries and highways leading to and from New York for the purpose of apprehending criminals who may be endeavoring to operate in this city. These squads are composed of selected men who are familiar with the criminal element and their methods."

Mr. Enright issued this statement regarding Chicago's police Chief:

"The newspapers of this city have given considerable publicity to alleged statements by the new Superintendent of Police in Chicago drawing insidious comparisons and conclusions between police conditions in that city as compared with New York. The Chicago Superintendent of Police, Mr. Fitzmorris, in the following letter, denies the information that he has ever indulged in any such comparison or criticism of the Police Department of this city.

"City of Chicago, Office of the Superintendent of Police,
"Dec. 22, 1920.

"Hon. Richard E. Enright, Commissioner of Police, New York City.

"My Dear Commissioner:

"I have not the pleasure of your acquaintance, which would have made this letter unnecessary.

"So much has been published regarding conditions in Chicago and New York that I would like to have you know, whether you are interested in the fact or not, that I have not made any statement that could be construed in any way as a comparison between the Police Departments of the two cities. I would like to have you know this department keeps me busy without leaving any time for criticism of the department of any other city, and that any statement published as coming from me containing any such intimation is without any foundation in fact.

"With assurances of my esteem, I beg to remain, sincerely yours,

"CHARLES C. FITZMORRIS."

Police Schools Open Today.

The department took steps which it hopes will reinforce the patrolling strength by 780 men by March 1. Taking advantage of the increased personnel authorized by the Board of Estimate arrangements were completed for an intensified school of recruits to be conducted night and day at headquarters under the direction of Acting Captain Charles Schofield.

The first hundred of the 600 men now on the civil service eligible lists will be called to headquarters for physical examination this morning. Another hundred will report each day until the lists are exhausted. As fast as the men are approved by police surgeons they will join either the class which meets from 8 A. M. to 4 in the afternoon or that which meets from 4 o'clock until midnight. It is planned to have 325 men join each class, in addition to the eighty men already in training.

In addition to their eight hours a day schooling, the probationers are to be assigned to patrol duty in plain clothes alongside veterans of the department. They will not be asked to don uniforms until they have established their fitness to stay on the force, as, under present high prices, it costs each patrolman $500 to outfit himself.

There are old-timers about headquarters who hope the new men will be taught some of the rough tactics to which they are reverting judiciously as the only method of dealing with the drifting, idle, lawless element of incipient gangsters and gunmen. It is no secret that there has been a return, at least in part, to some of the "strong-arm" and "massage" methods of other days—massage in the police glossary being explained as the deft and careful manipulation about the body of a piece of rubber hose innocently concealed in a newspaper.

Complaints Kept Secret.

Current crime news continued to be confined largely to cases which were disclosed when arrests were made or defendants were arraigned in courts, the police continuing to make a secret of citizens' complaints, though Commissioner Enright has declared crime news "open to the public."

William L. Trafford, a deputy clerk in the Court of Special Sessions, reported that as he left the Criminal Courts Building Friday night, two men who were standing under the "Bridge of Sighs," pounced upon him and robbed him of his gold watch and $13. He had just left a conference of the Judges of Special Sessions on what is known as Probation Night, where he was the presiding clerk.

Probation Officer James Russell also reported that two probationers, just released by the Judges that night, were also robbed outside the Criminal Courts Building, $40 being obtained from one and $18 from the other.

Informed by the police that the defendant admitted having been arrested on several occasions, and was now charged with assault in Newark, N. J., Magistrate Douras in Essex Market Court granted the motion of Assistant District Attorney Morris Pancer to hold Michael Romeo, 21 years old, of 401 East Fourteenth Street, without bail for the Grand Jury on charges of burglary and violating the Sullivan law. The defendant waived examination.

Romeo, it is alleged, entered the apartment of Joseph Orifice, a brass manufacturer, living on the sixth floor of 76 Seventh Street, and had many household valuables packed up ready to be moved when Frances, the 18-year-old daughter of the manufacturer, returned home.

The defendant, according to the police, tried to escape through another door. When he started down the stairs, Miss Orifice cried for help. A patrolman and detective ran into the building and met the defendant, who, it is alleged, turned off the gaslight and battled with the policeman and detective. When the light was turned on again, the stunned burglar was found on the floor with a revolver in his hand, according to the police.

Two men and a woman were locked up, according to the police, following the shooting of Benjamin Cooper, 26 years old, a chauffeur of 233 East Twelfth Street, as he was passing Arlington Hall in St. Mark's Place near Second Avenue late Sunday night. Cooper was shot once, the bullet penetrating both legs just above the knee. He was attended and taken home. The prisoners, police said, were John Bazaraick, 25, a chauffeur of 521 East Sixteenth Street, charged with violation of the Sullivan law and felonious assault; Helen, his wife, 23; and Daniel Golen, 27, a dishwasher of 206 Avenue D. All three prisoners denied knowledge of the shooting.

Bazaraick and his wife and Golen, along with Mary Profitka, 18, a telephone operator, of 543 East Thirteenth Street, who was arrested later, were arraigned before Magistrate Douras on a charge of suspicion of felonious assault. The men were held in $1,500 bail each and the women in $500 bail each, all for hearing on Jan. 5.

Charged with robbing Herbert May, a salesman, of 356 West 119th Street, of a gold watch, a stickpin and $8 after he had fallen asleep at the 181st Street Station of the Seventh Avenue Subway, three men were held for the Grand Jury by Magistrate Silberman. They were Max Sandler, 23, of 111 Bloomfield Avenue, Hoboken; James Brown, 20, of 2,148 Fifth Avenue, and John Hall, 18, of 34 West 136th Street.

With the assistance of the police of Bergen County, N. J., detectives arrested four men at the home of Charles E. Larson, known as "the Big Swede," 2,698 Eighth Avenue, Manhattan. Larson himself was made prisoner. All are being held until victims of several robberies at Peetzberg, near Hackensack, N. J., have an opportunity today to try to identify them. Those arrested besides Larson were Jack Hulters, 263 Central Avenue, Hawthorne, N. J.; David Maceylitor, 534 West 124th Street, Manhattan, and John Hughes, 303 West 145th Street, Manhattan.

In sentencing Joseph Dora, 35 years old, of 150 West Forty-fourth Street, charged with "jostling," and who pleaded guilty "because he had a record," Magistrate Jesse Silberman, in Washington Heights Court, said:

"In view of the fact that you pleaded guilty I will be a little lenient. The city must be rid of the like of you and I'll do everything in my power to achieve that end. I will sentence you to five months in the workhouse."

Two Arrested in Pawnship.

Detective Joseph Miller watched two men in front of a pawnshop at Roebling and Grand Streets, Brooklyn, early yesterday. One had a package under his arm. When the pawnshop opened, the detective followed them in. One of the men, who described himself as Samuel Fox, 18, of 268 Cherry Street, Manhattan, told the detective, it was said, that his mother wanted him to pawn some of the things for her. In the box, according to Miller, was a thousand dollars' worth of silverware. The two men were arrested, and the other said he was Irving Adler, 20, of 289 South Fourth Street, Brooklyn. From them the detective said he took several pawntickets and checks for two pieces of baggage at the Pennsylvania Station.

The baggage was found to consist of two suitcases containing silverware and other goods valued at $3,000, said to have been stolen from Mrs. Marie Walton of 3,056 Albany Crescent Road, the Bronx.

Fox and Adler were held without bail for examination on Wednesday in Bridge Plaza Court. They were charged with burglary.

Julius Kaponsky, 26, of 278 Twentieth Street, Brooklyn, was held without bail today in Fifth Avenue Court there on a charge of burglary. Patrolman Michael F. Hynes said he arrested Kaponsky last night after he heard several women scream. They told him the man was ransacking an apartment house at 276 Nineteenth Street. The patrolman entered the building with a drawn revolver and seized Kaponsky.

NASSAU DEFENDANTS DENY AID TO GAMBLERS

Doughty and McWhinney Testify That They Helped Suppress Gaming.

Special to The New York Times.

MINEOLA, Dec. 27.—Supervisor C. Wilbur Doughty, Republican leader of Nassau County, and Assemblyman Thomas A. McWhinney, member of the Lockwood committee, testifying today at their trial on a charge of conspiring to permit gambling in Nassau County, denied statements by John N. Fleischer, secretary of a Citizens' Committee which raided gambling houses, alleging their intimacy with gamblers.

Doughty, under cross-examination of District Attorney Weeks, said that the prosecutor on one occasion asserted he "wouldn't believe Fleischer under oath," and that Fleischer told him he "wouldn't believe the District Attorney under oath." The Republican leader said he had opposed gambling and aided the authorities and the Citizens' Committee to suppress it.

Assemblyman McWhinney denied that he intimated to Fleischer that if the latter induced the committee to cease its activities he would have Fleischer rewarded with $2,000. Assemblyman McWhinney also swore that he did not know of any gambling houses in Nassau County, or that he ever discussed protection for the gamblers with the other defendants.

The trial will be continued tomorrow.

EASTMAN'S SLAYER SOUGHT IN HIS GANG

Police and Prosecutor, on a "Hot Trail," Expect to Make Arrest Before Daylight.

MEN QUARRELED IN CAFE

"Monk," Intoxicated, Left After Intervention of Friends and Shooting Followed.

THREE HELD AS WITNESSES

Investigators Refuse to Say Whether They Still Think Victim Was Slain as an Informant.

A dozen detectives started scouring New York at 2 o'clock this morning hoping to arrest before daylight a member of Monk Eastman's own gang who, they believe, shot Eastman to death early Sunday at Fourteenth Street and Fourth Avenue.

According to John R. Hennis, Assistant District Attorney, in charge of the Homicide Bureau in District Attorney Swann's office, the police reached this probable solution of the murder after questioning for many hours employes and habitues of the Blue Bird rathskeller at 62 East Fourteenth Street, in which they believe a quarrel began which ended in the murder of Eastman a few yards outside the door.

Mr. Hennis said the police first would endeavor to pick up the man quietly, believing he was so well known in the haunts of criminals they would be able to pounce upon him in his hiding place. They do not think he has left town. The prosecutor refused to identify the man in advance of his arrest, beyond saying that in addition to being a member of Eastman's gang and a long-time associate of the supposedly reformed man whose citizenship was restored by Governor Smith because of his war record, the suspect was, like Eastman, an ex-convict with quite a record. He said the man's name was so well known in circles frequented by gangsters and gunmen that to disclose it would result in a warning being flashed instantly to him wherever he might be.

Predicts Arrest Before Morning.

At the same time Mr. Hennis was making his announcement, Captain William Funston, in charge of the Mercer Street Station detectives and head of the active hunt for Eastman's slayer, asserted at the close of his examination of the witnesses:

"It looks mighty good. There ought to be an arrest before morning."

At the conclusion of Captain Funston's examination he decided to hold the three men who had given the principal information as material witnesses. His aids took to Police Headquarters John Bradley of 112 Colyer Street, Brooklyn; John McKenna, 126 East Seventh Street, Manhattan, both waiters; and Max Weinstein, 44 Harrison Avenue, Brooklyn, cashier. All were employed in the Blue Bird rathskeller.

Captain Funston and Mr. Hennis both thought it inadvisable to disclose in detail the information which led them to fasten upon an individual as a definite suspect. This much was told:

Monk Eastman came to the Blue Bird about 12:45 Sunday morning. He was often in the place, which once was known as Pabst's Café and later was run by Willie Lewis, prizefighter, as the Café Chateau-Thierry long enough for Lewis himself to get badly "shot up" in the place. There he was greeted by friends, several of them members of the gang which it appeared more and more he had not forsaken during the months he was credited with going straight.

The party gathered at a big table and there they had plenty to drink. They chatted in low tones, turned now and then to greet friends and appeared to be having a pleasant, agreeable time. Thus their demeanor continued for more than two hours. Meantime Eastman, as was shown by the autopsy on his body performed yesterday, was getting drunker and drunker.

Leaves Cafe After Quarrel.

Monk, always likely to be quarrelsome, self-assertive and domineering, finally got into an altercation with the man whom the police now are seeking. Whether there was actual physical combat was not known, but it developed that the dispute grew so acute that others of the party had to intervene and separate the disputants.

Eastman angry and outraged, left the place almost at once. He staggered into the street at about 3:45 and apparently started for the downtown subway station, intending to go to his home in Brooklyn.

That much was learned from the examination of witnesses. Just what further information was in the hands of the police that led them to set out after a definitely suspected person neither they nor Mr. Hennis would tell.

As to motive, the police and the Assistant District Attorney were silent. They would not say whether they clung to their first theory that the quarrel was over the division of the spoils of bootlegging or whether some other motive now was regarded as more plausible. It is known, however, that early in the day the police were giving grave consideration to a theory that the murder was committed by someone who believed Eastman was giving information to the police.

The police do not say Monk was an informer. They do say they sought information of him, not once but several times, and in behalf of several departments of criminal investigation. They declare that not only had Eastman returned to his old haunts, but there was excellent reason to suspect him of "hootch running," drug peddling and at least guilty knowledge of other criminal activities of his old-time pals. While carefully refusing to verify an inference that Eastman in return for being allowed to dwell at peace in Brooklyn was furnishing information regarding rogues, the police diligently studied their records, pieced together interdepartmental knowledge of Eastman, his ways and his works, and tried to decide what particular man might have thought he had reason for killing him in revenge.

Trailed by a Detective.

Dr. Carleton Simon, special Deputy Commissioner in charge of the anti-drug war, said of Eastman:

"We became interested in him some six months ago when we heard he was back in his old haunts. We knew he had been sent up for making opium pills before and we were tipped that he was selling narcotics. Detective Barney Boylan of my staff visited Eastman and trailed him through all the Fourteenth Street and Union Square neighborhood where he had been a familiar figure for many years. We did not molest him."

Dr. Simon refused to tell whether Eastman at any time furnished information which was valuable to his department.

"I would not be surprised," he said, "if it should turn out to be some drug runner or some addict who thought Monk had squealed to us who shot him to death."

It was learned authoritatively yesterday that when Eastman was murdered his home in Brooklyn was found because the address was on record in the office of Inspector John Coughlin, in charge of the detectives of the entire department. Inspector Coughlin had the address because he had sent Acting Captain Daniel J. Carey, in charge of detectives in the Williamsburg district, in which Eastman lived, to see Eastman within the last two weeks to get information from him about certain of his associates suspected of a felony then under investigation.

Carey did not get the information the first time. Inspector Coughlin sent him back again. Thereupon the veil of official secrecy descends over the incident. Inspector Coughlin will not tell what information was wanted; he will not say whether Eastman furnished it, or what was done if Eastman refused. At the very hour this bit of information transpired at headquarters, Captain Carey, in Brooklyn, was blandly assuring inquirers that Eastman was leading quite a blameless life in Brooklyn, and that he had not had the slightest interest in him since he took up his residence across the bridge.

In the light of these disclosures Assistant District Attorney John R. Hennis is keenly interested in what he may learn today from John A. Ayres, a printer, who thus far is the only alleged eyewitness of the shooting. Ayres is credited with the statement that he saw the shooting from a safe distance and also saw the murderer leap into a passing taxicab and escape northward on Fourth Avenue.

Funston, earlier in the day, would not discuss the squealer theory. He did say that his men had no definite knowledge that Eastman was peddling whisky, though members of the narcotic squad said they learned he was so engaged while they were investigating his alleged activities as drug runner

Funston likewise was reticent as to Eastman's movements just before the shooting, beyond saying he knew of two places he "probably was in," one of them being the Blue Bird, the name of the other being concealed "in the interest of justice."

Funston's men started a search yesterday for one "Lottie." Mention of her name at first promised an exciting clue in the case, but it developed that the Christmas card found in the dead man's pocket and postmarked Brooklyn, was signed with that name and that was all the police knew of the woman.

Eastman's life, so far as women are concerned, is somewhat of a mystery. His friends say he "wasn't a moll guy."

Victim Lived Alone.

He is understood to have had a wife who died several years ago, but his closest friends did not believe he ever married again, nor did they know of any woman with whom he had been closely associated. He lived alone and the only person who went to the morgue yesterday to view the body was "Charley" Jones, who for a time had Eastman with him in the automobile supply business. Jones thought Eastman had a sister, but believed the police were in error in thinking his mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. William Delaney, were alive. No funeral arrangements were made yesterday and Jones said he would take charge of his old friend's body and 'give him a good funeral" if no one with a better claim appeared.

The police kept a watch on the morgue in the hope that some one might appear who could aid them in their search for the assassin, but they were not rewarded. They intimated, however, that they were not disappointed. On high authority at headquarters it was asserted that Eastman's movements up to 12:45 Sunday morning, a few hours before he was killed, were definitely known and that the police could conjecture as to the identity of his companions. The police said they even knew 'whom' Monk left Brooklyn to see." They refused to elaborate on Mr. Hennis's statement that they were searching for a man in Brooklyn believed to have been in the bootlegging business with Eastman and who was said to have threatened to get him after a quarrel.

So fas as could be learned, this man has not been apprehended or questioned. Captain Carey of Brooklyn declared last night the case was closed on that side of the bridge.

The autopsy performed on Eastman's body under the direction of Dr. John R. Norris, chief medical examiner, yesterday showed that only four of the five bullets fired at close range entered the body. The fifth apparently struck something else first, then rebounded, lodging in his overcoat with too little force to penetrate the cloth.

Heart Pierced by One Bullet.

One bullet pierced Eastman's heart, passing downward through the stomach and imbedding itself in the backbone. This wound was ascribed as the direct cause of death. One missile caused a flesh wound in the right arm and the other two flesh wounds in the left arm. A bullet hole in Eastman's overcoat in the region of his heart was two inches in diameter and covered with powder marks. This was interpreted as disposing of the theory that the shooting was done from an automobile and as corroborating the story of Ayres, the printer.

While Mr. Hennis, after examining the report, did not attempt to fit Eastman's alcoholic condition into the few known facts of the case, detectives who were anxious to discount the theory that Eastman had been shot as a squealer, well knowing that such a death-warning was apt to discourage other valuable sources of information, said it offered support for their own belief that the Monk, drunk and quarrelsome, had brawled once too often.

In support of this idea that a plain quarrel was followed by a "plain shooting," they said they had learned the Monk had been particularly aggressive since the war had given him a military record.

The house where Eastman lived at 801 Driggs Avenue is an ordinary rooming house in an ordinary neighborhood, conducted by Mrs. Krohnen. There he lived in a dismal, unheated little bedroom for which he paid $2.50 a week. If he ever was flush, if he was dividing the profits of drug running and bootlegging and other crimes, he gave no evidence of prosperity at home. He represented himself as a bartender at the Court Café, at Broadway and Driggs Avenue, not far from the house.

In reality he seems to have been employed there as a sort of bouncer. Mrs. Krohnen said he frequently was absent for a night or two, that his hours were irregular and that he usually had "something on his hip." She said once he said he was going away for two weeks to visit a brother and paid her for that time in advance. He made no explanation when he returned four days later. No one else who could be found seemed ever to have heard of the supposed brother.

Across the street at 806 Driggs Avenue, where Eastman lived for a time, he still was a constant visitor, for each day he used to ascend to the roof to feed the pigeons he had taught to cluster there. All his life he was a great pigeon fancier, his first arrest as a boy having been for stealing pigeons.

Morris Pockett of 108 Washington Avenue, found in the Court Café, represented himself as Eastman's best friend and insisted he made an "honest" living selling pigeons he coaxed to the roof back to their rightful owners at 25 cents each. Pockett said he knew Eastman was not engaged in any sort of crime and that the only excursions he made to Manhattan were at weekends, when he went to a Turkish bath because of a form of "trench itch" he brought back from France. Pockett said the Monk kept his pigeons in a coop in the store of Gus Bolz at 800 Driggs Avenue and that that was the nearest thing he had to a place of business.

Monk's fondness for pigeons and his known kindness to children and dumb animals was cited by his friends yesterday as proof that he really wasn't a "bad guy." They offered in evidence a story he told of a poor waif of a cur he picked up somewhere behind the lines in France and took from village to village with him, as showing that he had a tender heart despite his life of crime.

Is love dwindling between you? Take him to see "Way Down East," 44th St. Theatre. Matinee today.—Advt.

MORE HELP NEEDED

For the Hundred Neediest Cases

More than $100,000 is required to meet the requirements for the 200 verified and meritorious cases of misfortune and helplessness in the City of New York included in THE TIMES "100 Neediest Cases." The fund is several thousand dollars short. Contributions of any sum are appealed for. Send check to order "100 Neediest Cases," care THE TIMES, Times Square.

'ONE-ARREST-A-NIGHT' SQUAD MAKES GOOD

Twelve Policemen in Three Autos Seize Garage Man Who Owns Pistol.

A flying automobile squadron, organized by Police Commissioner Enright to combat the crime wave, but known in the department as the "one-arrest-a-night squad," appeared in the Bronx last night and made one arrest.

It was about 9 o'clock when three large automobiles of the limousine type, each carrying four well-dressed men, drew up in front of the garage at 270 East 140th Street, kept by Anthony Medal of 318 East 115th Street. Medal, with visions of a group of wealthy and profitable customers, welcomed them at the door and was informed that they were policemen who had come to inspect his books and to make sure that no stolen automobiles were concealed about the premises.

Medal's books seemed to be in order, and he was able to account for every automobile in his place. Several of the policemen began to search the desks in the garage office and one of them found a pistol in a drawer.

Medal explained that he formerly had held a permit, but that he had neglected to renew it, as he never carried the pistol, but kept it in his office for protection. Despite his protest, he was arrested and taken with all twelve policemen and the three limousines to the Alexander Avenue Police Station.

There Medal was charged with a violation of the Sullivan law and sent to Night Court. Policemen McQuillen and Easton were recorded as the arresting officers and McQuillen drew the assignment to conduct Medal to court.

"Where shall I meet you?" McQuillan asked, apparently seeking to learn how he could pick up the flying squadron later.

"Oh, let's call it a night," replied one of the policemen. "We will meet you in the same place tomorrow night."

IDENTIFY MAN IN COURT AS MURRAY HILL ROBBER

Robert L. Ireland and Wife Name Occupant of $3,000 Apartment as Hotel Assailant.

Ernest Idler, an employe of an insurance company, who lives in a $3,000-a-year apartment at 512 West 111th Street, was identified yesterday by Robert L. Ireland as the burglar with whom he had fought in the Murray Hill Hotel last Friday morning. When arraigned in the Jefferson Market Court on charges of burglary, assault and grand larceny, Idler pleaded not guilty. He was remanded to jail in default of $10,000 bail for further hearing next Friday.

Idler was arrested in his home after he had called at the New York Hospital to have some wounds dressed. He told hospital attendants he had received his injuries when held up at Park Avenue and Forty-first Street. Hospital officials described Idler to a detective, who compared the description with that of the Murray Hill robber. The arrest followed.

Mr. and Mrs. Ireland and Major Bevington, in court, picked Idler out of twenty-five men in a line-up as the one with whom they had fought. Idler's eyes were still half closed from bruises.

Detective Jenkins, who made the arrest, told the court he believed Idler had been implicated in many other robberies. He said that in searching Idler's apartment he found forty suits of men's clothing and other articles valued at $10,000. Idler said that the articles comprised his personal wardrobe.

WEST END AV. BURGLARS STEAL ANTIQUE JEWELS

Medallion Believed to Have Belonged to Mary Queen of Scots Among 16 Pieces Taken.

Sixteen pieces of antique jewelry, including a gold medallion believed to have belonged to Mary Queen of Scots, with some modern pieces of lesser value, were stolen Sunday afternoon from the apartment of E. C. Kavanagh, 681 West End Avenue, it became known yesterday. Another of the pieces stolen was said to be a gold chain, nearly five feet long, dating from the sixteenth century.

The burglars also carried away a silver medal of honor, given to Mr. Kavanagh by the French government for his work during the war, in which he served as Major, and a Seventh Regiment pin of platinum and pearls.

The burglars entered the apartment during the absence of Mr. and Mrs. Kavanagh, who found the door had been jimmied, when they returned. Mr. Kavanagh found his apartment in confusion. The contents of bureau drawers had been dumped on the floor and much of the furniture in the apartment was wrecked.

Mr. Kavanagh notified Police Headquarters of the burglary, but was told that the available detective force of the West 100th Street Station was busy investigating another robbery in the same neighborhood. Two detectives and two patrolmen, however, arrived at the Kavanagh apartment a short time later and started investigation.

BLUE SUNDAY TALK "BOSH."

Chicago Reformer Says He Wouldn't Oppose Free Sunday Movies.

CHICAGO, Dec. 27.—Free moving picture shows and theatrical productions on Sunday would meet no objection from the National Reform Association, the Rev. William S. Fleming, District Manager, announced here today.

"All this talk about blue Sunday is bosh. We are not trying to pass any blue laws. What we are after is commercialized amusement that is making money out of the argument of personal liberty," the Rev. Mr. Fleming declared. "Our work is a program of educating the American people to observe Sunday."

Bank Failure Laid to Robberies.

CHICAGO, Dec. 27.—Depositors of the Dressel Commercial and Savings Bank waited in vain for its doors to open today, and when the President, Andrew Dressel, could not be found, creditors petitioned Judge Carpenter, in the Federal District Court, to adjudge the bank bankrupt. The Chicago Title and Trust Company was appointed as receiver. Bank officials said that the Dressel bank's funds had been depleted through the operations of hold-up men and burglars during the last two years.

The greatest of all lovers—David in D. W. Griffith's "Way Down East," 44th St. Theatre. Matinee every day.—Advt.

SAYS TEN PERSONS SAW EASTMAN SLAIN

Several Within 15 or 20 Feet of Assassin, Who Fled in a Taxicab.

NOT QUESTIONED BY POLICE

Printer Who Witnessed Tragedy Volunteered No Information for Fear of Life.

John A. Ayres, the only identified eyewitness of the shooting of Monk Eastman and the escape of his assailant, told a NEW YORK TIMES reporter last night that the gangster was killed in the sight of ten or more persons, several of them within fifteen or twenty feet, and that the murderer escaped in a white or a brown and white taxicab which came along, apparently by arrangement, just after the fifth and last shot had been fired at Eastman.

Ayres said he saw the shooting from a restaurant diagonally across from the corner where Eastman was shot down. He was unable, however, to give a good description either of the assailant or the taxicab driver; nor was he able to furnish the number or a detailed description of the taxi.

Up to midnight Ayres had not been questioned by the police, who earlier in the day had said they were searching for him following the publication of a story he had given to a newspaper. His address, as published, was incorrect, and the police said they had been unable to reach him. He was found by THE NEW YORK TIMES reporter at 37 Chambers Street, where he is employed as a linotype operator by the M. B. Brown Printing and Binding Company.

Despite Ayres's assertion that at least six men, all apparently bystanders, were on the southwest corner of Fourth Avenue and Fourteenth Street when Eastman was killed, no one who saw the murder has gone to the police with the information. Ayres said he had not volunteered any information to the police on the night of the murder, because he had feared there might be more shooting and had, therefore, hurried away in a taxicab. He was ill with a cold all day yesterday, he said, and did not visit police headquarters. He was willing, however, to give any information he had either to the police or to the District Attorney.

Ayres said that he was standing in the restaurant when he heard the first shot fired and that he and several others, none of whom he knew, ran to the window.

"Diagonally across the street, on the southwest corner and near the downtown subway entrance," he said, "a man was lying on the sidewalk with his arms raised up over his face. A man was standing over him, and as we reached the window we saw him fire four more shots into the man on the sidewalk.

"Besides the three or four men in the restaurant, there were six or seven persons standing right on the corner where the shooting was going on. They seemed to by bystanders, because all of them were huddled against the buildings or standing back in the subway entrance, as if trying to get away from the shooting. I couldn't describe any of them, although it was my impression that one or two were fairly well dressed.

Taxi Slows for Slayer.

"Then a taxi came along. I have been in New York only three or four months and I do not know the streets and directions very well, but it seemed to me that it came from downtown on Fourth Avenue. The man who did the shooting rushed out into Fourth Avenue and the taxi slowed up and he jumped onto the running board. The taxi speeded up again and went up the avenue. I saw the man, as he got into the taxi, throw something out of the window. I didn't see the taxi after it passed the restaurant."

Asked to describe the taxi, Ayres said: "It was a white taxi, at least that was what I called it, but another man who was in the restaurant said that he thought it was a brown and white machine. None of us could get the number. I don't know whether the tail light was lighted or not. I didn't notice the driver."

Two policemen arrived within three or four minutes after the shooting, Ayres said. "There were two uniformed policemen in the crowd around the body and a number of persons in civilian's clothes," he asserted. "They may have been detectives. I didn't notice whether any of the persons who saw the shooting were still around there when the police arrived. I was watching the murderer escape, and I didn't notice what became of the persons on the corner. I think most of them scattered."

Ayres said it seemed to him that the taxi had driven up by arrangement to carry the assassin away.

Taxi Driver Ignores Shouts.

"He ran out as if he expected it," said Ayres, "and the taxi arrived there just about the same time and slowed up to let him get in. Some one yelled 'Stop him!' but the taxi driver drove right on. One of the men in the restaurant said: 'If you try to mix in this you'll get killed.' That is why none of us ran out in the street to watch the taxi. Even after the police came I didn't want to take a chance of being killed, so I stayed where I was for fifteen minutes and then took a cab up home. None of the police came over to take the names of any of the people in the restaurant. I don't think they could see us very well."

The murderer, Ayres said, was, as nearly as he could judge, about his own height (5 feet 8 inches) and weighed about 150 pounds.

"He had on a dark overcoat and dark clothes, and I think he had on a hat, but I am not positive. It may have been a cap. I could not see his features."

CHICAGO CRIMINALS RESUME

Shoot One Man and Rob Eighteen, Kidnapping Fifteen of Them.

Special to The New York Times.

CHICAGO, Dec. 27.—Between midnight and 6 o'clock tonight in Chicago one man was shot in a battle with a solitary bandit and eighteen men were robbed, fifteen of them being kidnapped. The man shot is David Potter, 41, of 451 East Forty-first Street. He was wounded in the left leg by a bandit whom he resisted. Potter knocked the robber down, but he arose and fired three shots at him. As Potter dropped the bandit fled.

Mrs. Kate Stein was tending her delicatessen store at 1,916 West Madison Street when two young men walked in. They drew pistols and forced her into the ice box, after stripping her fingers of two diamond rings valued at $150 each and a ring valued at $60. They took $665 from the cash register and fled.

Fifteen minutes later they entered Alfred Caravelli's market at 1,341 Sedgewick Street. Caravelli, too, they locked in the icebox. From him they took a diamond ring valued at $200 and from the cash register $512.

Five men in a red auto held up Daniel Sevenberg, a cashier for the Checker Cab Company, and escaped with $1,000 in cash.

Two Japanese were held up in two different sections of the city, one by four automobile bandits, the other by a lone highwayman.

T. O. Sada, 624 West Madison Street, arose early because he was to take the train for San Francisco today on the first leg of his journey home to Yokohama. As he stepped out into the dark coldness of West Madison Street he was accosted by a man with a revolver, who took the $500 he had in his pockets.

Indict Two for Attempted Bribery.

NEW CITY, Dec. 27.—A Rockland County Grand Jury today indicted Julius Honig of Suffern and Max Reich on charges of trying to bribe a member so the Grand Jury would not indict Honig, who was accused of selling liquor in his confectionery store. Austin Conklin, the juror, is said to have been offered $100 to prevent the indictment. Conklin immediately notified District Attorney Morton Lexow.

FIVE HOLD-UP MEN GET HEAVY SENTENCES

Ten to Twenty Year Terms Imposed by Judges Rosalsky and Nott.

Judges Rosalsky and Nott yesterday in General Sessions demonstrated their intention to aid in the suppression of crime in this city when they sentenced five hold-up men to terms ranging from ten to twenty years in Sing Sing. Before passing sentence on four of the men Judge Rosalsky criticised the State Parole Board for its practice of releasing convicts upon the expiration of the minimum term of indeterminate sentences imposed by the courts.

The first to be arraigned before Judge Rosalsky was William Karstein, 18 years old, of 10 East 103d Street, who was convicted of participating with two others in the hold-up of Samuel Crane in his launury at 76 East 104th Street on the afternoon of Nov. 17 last. Karstein, who was out on parole at the time for another hold-up, held a pistol at the laundryman's head while his confederates robbed the cash register of $12.

Counsel pleaded for a light sentence because of the youth of the defendant, but Judge Rosalsky declared that most of the violent crimes in the city were the work of young criminals. "I cannot be moved by sympathy because of the youth of this defendant," continued Judge Rosalsky. "If we carry leniency too far society will disintegrate. This criminal had his chance, but he did not see fit to take advantage of it."

Judge Rosalsky then sentenced Karstein to Sing Sing for an indeterminate term of from ten to twenty years.

The next to receive a heavy sentence from Judge Rosalsky was John Bataglio, 24 years old, of 139 Cherry Street, who was convicted of participating with Harry Laforte, 33 years old, of 15 Monroe Street, and Salvatore Dicola, 23 years old, of 2,126 Second Avenue, in the hold-up of a wine dealer in his store at Second Avenue and 118th Street in September last.

Bataglio received a sentence of from ten to twenty years in Sing Sing. Laforte, who pleaded guilty, was sent to the same prison for an indeterminate term of from two to five years, and Dicola, who admitted he drove the automobile in which the three rode to the wine store, was sent to the penitentiary on his plea of guilty.

Asad Ganin, 22 years old, who gave a Bowery lodging house as his home, and Joseph Port, 22 years old, of 373 First Avenue, pleaded guilty to holding up Adel Sackel in the hallway of his home at 206 Fifth Street on the night of Nov. 29 last. Each received a sentence of from ten to twenty years.

Judge Nott imposed a sentence of 18 years on George Curry, alias Paris Sperides, an ex-convict, 39 years old, of 456 Pearl Street, who was convicted of the hold-up and robbery of Peter Konderoses of 88 Oliver Street on the night of Oct. 13. Konderoses told the jury that he was about to return to his home in Greece, when he met Curry, a native of Greece, in a Greek restaurant near his home. Curry learned from Konderoses that he had in his pocket a steamship ticket for Greece, a gold watch, a gold ring and a sum of money, and invited him to his room.

Judge Humphrey in the Queens County Court yesterday sentenced Arthur J. Jaycox, 22 years old, of Far Rockaway, to ten years in Sing Sing. Jaycox was convicted of attacking a girl after displaying a shield and a revolver and driving her escort away.

MOTHER OF 3 DEPORTED.

Polish Woman Who Failed to Pass Test Must Leave Husband.

Mrs. Mariane Duszak, a Polish woman, 42 years old, is to be deported today on the Cunarder Carmania with her three small children, 5, 6 and 7 years old. She came to America four weeks ago on the Saxonia to join her husband, Zuraf Duszak, who has been working in Erie County for three years, and sent the money for her to bring the family from Warsaw.

Because Mrs. Duszak could not pass the literacy test the officials ordered the deportation. She would have gone earlier if two of the children had not been in the hospital with measles. The Cunard Line will be fined for bringing her to this country and must also return her passage money. Thirteen others will be sent back on the Carmania.

Urges Armed Guards in Tulsa Stores

TULSA, Okla., Dec. 27.—Following a series of daring robberies here, Police Commissioner J. M. Adkinson today advised merchants to station armed guards at the entrances of their stores and shoot down men who attempted to rob them.

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Corrects Impression That Present Navy Estimates Call for Big New Building Program.

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Future Increase Here Hangs on Our Joining League or a World Agreement for Disarming.

FOR A GENERAL CONFERENCE

He Points to Proposal in the 1916 Navy Act as a Basis for Effective Action.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—Secretary Daniels today issued a statement calling attention to the fact that despite intimations to the contrary the estimates submitted to the naval committees of Congress do not provide for construction of a new group of capital ships as a further addition to the navy, but ask only for money to continue construction of the vessels authorized by the 1916 program.

In connection with this matter Mr. Daniels commented on the General Naval Board's recommendation of last September that a new three-year program of construction be authorized, which he did not approve unconditionally, and said:

"The suggestion for another large naval building plan was contingent wholly upon the theory that there might be no association of nations and no League of Nations, and no agreement for a limitation of armaments. If there is no League of Nations and no association of nations, then there ought to be a conference of nations solely on the question of armaments, following the line of the provision contained in the Naval Appropriation bill of 1916.

"The whole thing in a nutshell is that the League of Nations was designed to stop competitive armaments. Every nation that joined the League has promised this. All they need is to get the United States into such a league. I am not willing to say that the United States should not have a bigger navy than any other nation.

"The reason why I advocated sinking the entire German fleet in the middle of the Atlantic was to give the world an object lesson, showing that it is not healthy to build up armaments for purposes of conquest."

Mr. Daniels again stated his opposition to the idea for an agreement between England, the United States and Japan to take a "naval holiday." Such an agreement, he thought, would be viewed with suspicion by other nations.

Conference Provided For in 1916.

The provision in the naval act of 1916 for a disarmament conference to which Secretary Daniels referred is:

> It is hereby declared to be the policy of the United States to adjust and settle its international disputes through mediation or arbitration to the end that war may be honorably avoided. It looks with apprehension and disfavor upon a general increase of armament throughout the world, but it realizes that no single nation can disarm, and that without a common agreement upon the subject every considerable power must maintain a relative standing in military strength.
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> In view of the premises, the President is authorized and requested to invite at appropriate time, not later than the close of the war in Europe, all the great governments of the world to send representatives to a conference which shall be charged with the duty of formulating a plan for a court of arbitration or other tribunal, to which disputed questions between nations shall be referred for adjudication and peaceful settlement and to consider the question of disarmament and submit their recommendation to their respective governments for approval. The President is hereby authorized to appoint nine citizens of the United States, who in his judgment shall be qualified for the mission by eminence in law and by devotion to the cause of peace, to be representatives of the United States in such a conference.

The same law provided that if at any time before construction of the vessels authorized in the three-year program was contracted for there should be established through the co-operation of the United States an international tribunal competent to insure peaceful determinations of international disputes, which should render the maintenance of competitive armaments unnecessary, such naval expenditures authorized by Congress as were inconsistent with such engagements might be suspended by the President.

Discussing this year's estimates, Mr. Daniels said:

"The impression prevails that the Government has submitted estimates this year calling for the authorization of three additional super-dreadnoughts, one battle cruiser and eighty-eight other ships. The estimates submitted by the Secretary of the Navy call for no new major units for the navy. The only new units called for are one airplane tender and a few small cruisers and gunboats, none of which are major vessels. No battleships or battle cruisers are called for.

"The estimates for naval increase this year do ask for sums to carry forward the construction of the battleships and battle cruisers authorized in the three-year naval building program four years ago, and which have not been built. All but two of the unfinished units authorized four years ago are under construction. There are two capital ships authorized four years ago which are not yet under construction, but contracts for these have been let, the steel is being fabricated, and they will be laid down as soon as ways are vacant to begin laying their keels. But no additional big ships have been asked for at all."

Four battleships and four battle cruisers were authorized in 1916, three battleships and one battle cruiser in 1917, and three battleships and one battle cruiser in 1918. When these units and other construction authorized during the same period are completed they will put the American navy ahead of the British navy in 1924.

It was the General Naval Board which suggested a 1921-3 program to build eighty-eight new vessels, including three super-dreadnoughts and a huge battle cruiser. But the Secretary did not approve this recommendation except on the contingency that we did not enter the league, and favored concentration on the completion of vessels authorized as part of the 1916 program.

Johnson Urges Disarmament.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—A disarmament agreement by the five great powers would be "the one great step" toward prevention of "all future wars," Senator Johnson, Republican, California, said in the Senate today.

"We are all agreed, I take it," the Senator said, "that if there is a real desire among the powers of the earth to prevent war, they can prevent it by disarmament, and if the five great nations of the earth, who constituted the five allied and associated powers in the World War, were to meet together and decide upon disarmament, we would have taken the one great step that could be taken toward the promotion of peace and the prevention of all future wars."

Senator Johnson said he would commend to some of those, outside of the Senate, "who have hysterically endeavored to direct our course during the last couple of years in a new super-Government or in a desire to embroil us in European controversies, quarrels and broils and war, disarmament of the nations of the earth for prevention of wars in the future."

FIND INFLUENZA IMMUNITY.

Sufferers Free of Early Recurrence —Doubt Epidemic This Winter.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—Influenza attacks carry with them "a definite immunity to subsequent attacks, lasting several years," according to conclusions reached by the Public Health Service after intensive study in homes where the disease was epidemic in 1918-1919.

"Inasmuch as the epidemic of 1918 and 1919 affected so very large a proportion of the population," a statement by Surgeon General Cummings says, "there would seem to be reasonable grounds for believing that even should 'flu' become prevalent here and there (this Winter) it would not assume the epidemic proportions of the past two years, nor would it rage in such severe form."

Dr. Cumming pointed out, however, that there was no way of definitely foretelling "whether this Winter will witness any recurrence of influenza in epidemic form." He added that it was "unfortunate" that the public took such interest in "spectacular epidemic outbreaks of disease" and was "so little moved" by the "daily occurrence of preventable death."

"Of the 1,250,000 deaths occurring in the United States annually, at least 100,000 could easily have been prevented by the application of available medical knowledge," he said, pointing out that 15,000 annually died of diphtheria despite the existence of an effective anti-toxin which could have prevented "practically every one of these deaths." Another 10,000 deaths were due to typhoid fever, he said, in similar circumstances and there were 400 "entirely unnecessary" deaths from smallpox.

NO BRITISH "INCIDENT."

State Department Will Drop Case of Alleged Discourtesy.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—Indications were in evidence at the State Department today that there was no desire on the part of American Government officials to make what in the language of diplomacy is known as an "incident" out of the transmission of a communication by the British Embassy to a member of Congress. The Embassy, early last week, wrote directly to Chairman Kellogg, of the Senate committee investigating cable communications, denying testimony before the committee that the British authorities imposed a censorship on cable messages coming to the United States from Great Britain.

It developed today that R. Leslie Cragie, First Secretary of the Embassy, who signed the communication, discussed his action with Assistant Secretary of State Merle-Smith late last week. It also is understood Sir Auckland Geddes, the British Ambassador, expects to make an explanation of the Embassy's action as soon as he recovers from his present slight illness.

SPENCER IS COMPLIMENTED.

Senator's Agent Gets Option on Home Wilson Could Not Buy.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27. — Senator Selden P. Spencer of Missouri does not sit in the so-called "millionaire row" in the Senate. This is the last row on the Republican side, where sit Senator McCormick of Illinois, Senator Hale of Maine, and others known to pay heavy income taxes. Mr. Spencer sits a few rows ahead. He is classed as well-to-do in his home State.

In the past two months Senator Spencer has been seeking a home in keeping with his income. The other day a real estate agent, who had a commission to find it, sent Mr. Spencer a letter advising him that he had obtained an option to purchase a house. "The President had looked at it, but gave up because the price was too high."

Senator Spencer wrote this over the margin of the real estate agent's letter and returned it:

"Much obliged for the compliment."

President Wilson is reported to have paid $150,000 for the Henry P. Fairbanks residence here, which he purchased this month.

100 Houses in Tokio Burned.

TOKIO, Dec. 27.—Fire destroyed 100 houses in Tokio today. The loss has not yet been estimated.

M'CUMBER CHARGES TARIFF FILIBUSTER

Nettled at Democrats Who Obstruct the Fordney Bill in the Senate.

HARRISON SEES PARTY AIMS

Hitchcock Asserts Embargo Is Sought—Measure Referred to Finance Committee.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—Charges of a Democratic filibuster against the Fordney Emergency Tariff bill were made by Senator McCumber, of North Dakota, Republican, before the bill was finally referred to the Senate Finance Committee for consideration, this afternoon. Senator McCumber, Senator Harrison of Mississippi, Democrat, and Senator Smoot of Utah, Republican, engaged in a three-cornered encounter in which accusations of political manoeuvering flew thick and fast.

Apparently, neither the Republicans nor the Democrats in the Senate expect the bill to pass. Senator Smoot said this afternoon that he expected the Democrats to talk it to death. Senator Harrison said that he did not believe five Democratic Senators would vote for it.

The present plan is to bring the bill to the floor as soon as possible, perhaps Thursday, without a change in the schedule as sent over from the House. Senator Smoot said on the floor in an exchange with Senator Harrison that he considered hearings on the measure unnecessary.

The attitude of anti-protection Democrats was amply shown by Senator Harrison when he said in a speech:

"I would not vote for your bill if ninety-nine out of every hundred people in Mississippi asked me to. The bill is all wrong. You say you are trying to reduce the high cost of living, but you are trying to choke down the people's throats a bill which will increase the cost."

Hitchcock Calls It Embargo.

As soon as the Senate met and the bill came up on its second reading, Senator Hitchcock, acting as Democratic leader in Senator Underwood's absence moved to refer it to the Commerce Committee, saying that it would not aid the farmer, but would be virtually an embargo. Senator McCumber objected, asserting that the bill was needed. Efforts were made by Senator Harrison to speak, but before doing so he yielded the floor several times. Among others, he yielded to two Republicans, Senators Edge of New Jersey, and Johnson of California. The delay nettled Senator McCumber, who said:

"It was represented some time ago that the minority would filibuster on this bill. As long as there is a desire to engage in this pleasant pastime of filibustering, we may as well understand where we stand. I move to lay the reference to the Commerce Committee on the table."

Senator Harrison objected to the charge of filibustering, but Senator McCumber was firm. The Senate by a vote of 33 to 12 refused to send the bill to the Commerce Committee, five Democrats voting with twenty-eight Republicans, against a Democrtic phalanx of twelve.

Senator Harrison said that he did not see how Senators such as Kenyon and Cummins of Iowa, McCumber of North Dakota, and Lenroot of Wisconsin could vote against a prohibitive tariff bill at the next session if they supported the present measure. He charged that while Republican Presidential campaign literature deplored the fact that sugar prices had risen, it did not mention the imminence of a protective tariff which would make prices mount sky high.

Senators in Sharp Exchange.

At this point Senator Harrison and Senator Smoot clashed, and Senator Harrison said impatiently:

"The great trouble with the Senator from Utah is that he sees wool, wool, wool, and he is trying to pull the wool over our eyes."

"I'm not a spotted protectionist; I'm a protectionist through and through," countered Senator Smoot.

"Well, I've no respect for any man who is half way," replied Senator Harrison. "I believe in being one thing or the other. I have no respect for Democrats who would vote for this bill because it helped certain industries in their States. If I were in Louisiana I reckon I'd live just about one day politically."

Before Senator Smoot and Senator Harrison concluded their exchange, the Utah Senator accused President Wilson of being responsible for high sugar prices by his refusal to purchase the Cuban crop.

Uultimately Senator Harrison withdrew his motion to refer the bill to the Interstate Commerce Committee, and Senator McCumber moved reference to the Finance Committee. This was approved by a Senatorial vote of 47 to 0, the Democrats joining with the Republicans.

45-STORY INDIAN HOME FOUND IN NEW MEXICO

"Apartment" Building Contained 1,000 Rooms and Was Built by Extinct Tribe.

BALTIMORE, Md., Dec. 27.—The discovery of a stone "apartment" building, forty-five stories high and containing 1,000 rooms, believed to have been the home of an extinct tribe of American Indians, will be announced tomorrow at a meeting of the Archaelogical Institute of America at Johns Hopkins University.

The "apartment" was uncovered with a group of towns representing an ancient civilization in the midst of the Southwestern desert. It was unearthed by the School of American Research conducted at Santa Fe, N. M., by the institute. It will be described by Edgar L. Hewett, director of the school, at the meeting of the institute held in conjunction with the American Philological Association and the Maya Society.

Several thousand persons may have lived in the newly discovered building, which Mr. Hewett believes was the centre of community life in its district.

TO TRY GAMBAIS BLUEBEARD

French Slayer of Eleven Women Will Not Escape With Deportation.

PARIS, Dec. 9.—Contrary to general expectation, it seems that Henri Landru, whom the police call the Gambais Bluebeard, is after all to be tried on the charge that he murdered his eleven fiancées and will not be let off with the five years' sentence and subsequent deportation to Devil's Island which he has already received for swindling.

The indictment, which forms a volume of 475 pages, has been sent to the Assizes Court and the investigating Judge, Bonin, heaving a great sigh of relief, announced that the case was now out of his hands. Maitre de Moro-Giafferi, who was one of the defense for Caillaux, will be counsel for the accused Gambais man.

Landru has appealed to the Court of Cassation against the sentence for swindling. Judge Bonin told him the appeal would delay his trial for murder and thus deprive him of a chance to prove his innocence before next March.

"I am in no hurry," responded Landru, whose dry wit has made him a hard customer for the Judge. "By the way, just to set matters right, I have not the slightest desire to prove my innocence; I understand it is up to you to prove my guilt."

"All right," replied the Judge, "postponed until the March Assizes."

"I should worry," Landru retorted as a parting shot, "My alleged victims, myself or you will have died of old age before the Assizes have seen any one of us."

LAST BLOW TO GRAND DUKE

Came When Cyril Was Referred To as a War Profiteer.

LAUSANNE, Switzerland, Dec. 9.—Persecution, financial ruin, imprisonment and exile have come in turn to Grand Duke Cyril, of Russia during the war, but he told a friend, the other day, that a little incident occuring in Switzerland last September was the "most unkindest cut of all."

To while away the idle hours of his exile in Switzerland, Grand Duke Cyril resorted to golf. During the course of a match with an American and a Swiss one day on the links near this city, the gallery which followed the players dwindled down to a Swiss family, father, mother and numerous progeny. The Grand Duke heard one of the children ask:

"What is this game, they are playing, father?"

"My son," replied the old man, "that game is a game for war profiteers."

The Grand Duke gave up the match.

R. H. Blake on Cunard Board Here.

It was announced yesterday at the office of the Cunard Line that Robert H. Blake, formerly General Freight Manager in the United States, had been made an associate Director and will work with Delos W. Cooke as joint manager of the company's affairs in this country. Sir Ashley Sparkes, who has been in bad health during the last year, will remain a Director of the Cunard Line and head of the organization in America.

EXPECT HARDING PROGRAM BY MAR. 4

Legislators Think He Will Then Present Complete Foreign and Domestic Policy.

BASED ON CONFERENCES

Many Leaders in Congress Invited to Meet Senator in Marion This Week.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—Senator Harding will have a complete foreign and domestic policy formulated for the consideration of Congress when he takes office, according to Republican leaders who have participated in past Marion conferences and those summoned to the conferences on domestic questions now in progress.

The practice of the new President, these leaders say, will be to consult frequently with Congress leaders, exchange views with them and learn the wishes of the people and the status of legislation. He is now starting the exchange of views with leaders in Congress so as to be informed as to the need of proposed legislation and the probable reception by Congress of recommendations he will make in his first message.

Several leaders in Congress have been invited to Marion for this week. Senator McCumber, Acting Chairman of the Finance Committee, which has the Emergency Tariff bill before it, left for Marion today and will see Mr. Harding tomorrow. Members invited from the House are F. W. Mondell, floor leader; James W. Good, Chairman of the Budget Committee, who is in Marion today; D. R. Anthony Jr., who is familiar with Military Affairs Committee work, and P. H. Kelley of the Naval Affairs Committee. Senator Harding's letters to those invited ask that they come, if possible, before Jan. 1.

"While I have no desire to intrude upon the work you have in hand," he said in one letter, "I do think it will be helpful if we can compare notes and exchange impressions. Moreover, I want to begin getting into more intimate touch with those of you who lead in the work of the House and Senate, so that we may most cordially co-operate together in keeping Republican faith with the country."

Recipients of the letters are pleased with the apparent desire of Mr. Harding to begin his Administration by taking counsel with legislators. Some said today that they would be glad to learn the coming President's opinions on domestic questions, especially the tariff and economies, and hoped that this spirit, shown early, would continue through his Administration.

"It is only right that the Executive and the Legislative branches should work in harmony," said Representative Mondell. "One cannot do its full duty to the country without acting in unison with the other. I do not mean by this that there should be any dictation from the Executive or any arbitrariness displayed by the Executive branch. If the Republican Party in both branches can work as one, it will perform real, valiant service to the country. This, I think, will be true, and I expect to see great things accomplished because of the determination of Mr. Harding to take counsel during his Administration."

Senator Harding, it was learned today, wishes to know what the party leaders hope to accomplish by revival of the War Finance Corporation and enactment of an emergency tariff. Those who have seen him have been unable to learn whether he favors this legislation.

Mr. Harding is insistent that the present session should make a large reduction in the number of civil employes in the District of Columbia, who now total 92,000, a reduction of about 10,000 since the armistice. He was informed by one visitor that the Legislative, Executive and Judicial annual appropriation bill, soon to be reported, would cut the number of employes by 20,000 and effect a saving of about $30,000,000. This did not satisfy him, it is said.

One of the matters that Senator Harding wishes to bring to Representative Anthony's attention is the inadequacy of fortifications at Panama. On his visit there last month Mr. Harding was surprised by the lack of adequate military protection. He is reported to be anxious to see this remedied by specific appropriation in the annual fortifications bill reported in this session.

It is believed that these conferences will result in changes in the legislative program of the party, but their chief effect will be to give the President-elect an opportunity to lay before the coming special session a program of readjustment legislation made necessary by the industrial and economic changes following the war.

GERMAN SAVANTS AWED BY A FAKE

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cars and gave evidence of being in good financial circumstances. I went to Berlin three times in connection with the supposed discovery. At the third visit it had been arranged that a practical demonstration of the discovery should be given.

"Meanwhile I got into communication with leading German scientists. Unruh's claim was so astounding that I was determined to have it thoroughly investigated. Several of these German savants were present at the demonstration. Unruh played his part with the art of an actor. He excitedly recounted the possibilities of his discovery, how the propulsion of ships would be revolutionized, how motor cars, airplanes, trains and other forms of locomotion could draw from an apparently inexhaustible source of energy. Some of these possibilities were set out in a little book which Unruh gave me.

"At the momentous demonstration we were first introduced to a wooden box about 4 feet long, 2 feet wide and about 3 feet high. Around the box were two rows of copper plates and between them were nine Leclanche batteries which were connected with metal plates.

"Without going into a lengthy scientific description Unruh claimed that by his invention the power of the Leclanche cells was increased to a phenomenal extent. From these small batteries he claimed to be producing energy equivalent to 160 horsepower, which illuminated several large electric lamps in the room."

"In order to make a rough and ready test of his bona fides I suggested that the box should be removed from its position to another room, but this he declined to do. The German scientists present were nevertheless very greatly impressed by the demonstration and appeared to have no doubt that one of the greatest dreams of scientists had at last been realized.

"On the strength of their representations I made the £1,000,000 offer, coupled with the condition that there should first be a test in this country. To this he declined to submit and consequently no arrangements were come to between us."

BOMBARDING FIUME BY LAND AND SEA

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fighting at Fiume and expressed the hope that peace would soon be brought about among the sons of the nation. The Mayor ordered the national flag at half-staff in the capital as a sign of mourning for the dead in Fiume.

The casualties sustained by the regulars in the fighting with d'Annunzio's men up to the present are reported to be 30 killed and about 100 wounded. Among the wounded are several carabinier officers. The rebel forces have blown up four bridges over the Recina [the river between Fiume and Susak.]

The official communications show that on Christmas Day the regular Italian troops in the vicinity of Fiume had orders to remain in the positions they had reached in the hope that this evidence of the Government's determination to retrieve the situation would create a revulsion of feeling against d'Annunzio on the part of the Legionaries.

The latter, however, on their own initiative, fired on the regulars, and the advance was resumed on the morning of Dec. 26.

The Council of Ministers, presided over by Premier Giolitti, today thoroughly examined into the situation at Fiume. It was decided to leave General Caviglia entirely free to act as he thought best in order to enter Fiume as soon as possible and occupy the city and have the citizens freely express their will concerning the Government of their State, which is to be independent under the provisions of the Treaty of Rapallo. According to reports read at the Council of Ministers, a section of the population of Fiume tried to prevent a fratricidal conflict, but 150 of them were arrested. Several attempts to foment a rising were ruthlessly put down.

Fierce Fighting Outside Fiume.

LONDON, Dec. 27.—Fierce fighting is proceeding in the environs of Fiume, according to The London Times dispatches from Milan, and the losses to the regulars are very heavy, among the casualties being two colonels mortally wounded.

D'Annunzio flew over the lines Sunday, dropping leaflets from his airplane inciting the regulars to desertion. The poet's troops have transformed the houses in the Public Gardens into machine-gun nests, which have been effective in stopping the Government forces. All the main streets are defended by barbed wire barricades.

An instance is related in which the Legionaries made a desperate stand in an armored car, which the regulars succeeded in seizing after killing three and wounding two of the occupants. The resistance encountered by Caviglia's troops is apparently unexpectedly strong and the capture of Fiume has been considerably delayed by the poet's defense.

A dispatch to the Stefani Agency from Rome says that among newspaper reports on the Fiume situation received there is one that a company of Alpini was ambushed and captured by the Fiuman legionaries. Many are said to have been wounded when the Alpini offered stubborn resistance after they were taken prisoners through a ruse, their captors having pretended that they wished to surrender.

Other reports state that the destroyer Espero, which joined d'Annunzio's forces recently, has been set afire, and that an attempt at revolt by citizens of Fiume has been repressed with bloodshed by the Regency Government.

VENICE, Dec. 27.—The reports of the death of Gabriele d'Annunzio spread quickly throughout Venice today. The Italian colors on the flagstaff in St. Mark's Square were immediately half-staffed, and soon afterward flags on private houses throughout the city were lowered.

According to some reports received here, d'Annunzio was only wounded and was taken to a hospital.

One report says that, notwithstanding the absence of d'Annunzio, fighting continues, the legionaries trying to prevent the passage of the regular troops, which are composed chiefly of carabieri. It is asserted that the battleship Andrea Doria participated in the operations against Fiume by firing grenades which killed several persons. One of the grenades struck the torpedo boat destroyer Espero, setting the vessel on fire.

Zara Surrendered to the Regulars.

PARIS, Dec. 27.—Fiuman Legionaries and Dalmation Volunteers at Zara, a port south of Fiume on the Dalmatian Coast, have surrendered to Italian regulars, after failing in an attempt to capture the Italian warship Marsala. The volunteers boarded the vessel, but the crew resisted capture and seized twenty-seven of the legionaries, landing them at Ancona, an Italian port on the western side of the Adriatic, says a Havas dispatch.

ANCONA, Italy, Dec. 27.—A steamer has arrived here with the Rismondo and Carnaro battalions on board. All the men were disarmed and are being closely watched by carabinieri. The Royal Guards' barracks are being prepared for the purpose of holding the men prisoners there.

POET'S ADMIRERS DISPERSED.

Troops Break Up Rome Demonstration Against Rapallo Treaty.

ROME, Dec. 26.—Crowds attempted to hold demonstrations in this city in favor of Captain Gabriele d'Annunzio tonight, but strong detachments of royal mounted guards charged upon and dispersed those engaged in the manifestation. D'Annunzio's war cry of "Down with the treaty of Rapallo!" was frequently heard.

The incidents followed a meeting held by Nationalists in favor of d'Annunzio and the claims he put forward as conditions upon which he would abandon his fight at Fiume. Deputy Federsoni made an address in favor of the poet-soldier and was frequently applauded.

Later, several Nationalists, in revenge for the breaking up of the demonstrations, decided to put an end to a concert being directed by Sergius Koussevisky in the Augusteum. They formed in a column and entered the building crying: "Long live Italian Fiume! Long live d'Annunzio!"

The concert was interrupted and several scuffles occurred between the invaders and the audience, which loudly protested. Prompt intervention by the police re-established order, and only a few arrests were made.

Little hope that d'Annunzio will be able to hold Fiume against Italian regulars is entertained by Signor Odenigo, local representative of the "Regency of Quarnero," who, with several friends and sympathizers, has been anxiously awaiting developments along the Adriatic.

"I am afraid all is lost, unfortunately even honor," said Signor Odenigo today. "All advices point to the conclusion that we must abandon even the last hope of being Italian, as the Government has granted the port of Baross, between Fiume and Susak, to Jugoslavia under a secret understanding. The Italian Government is now preparing to occupy Fiume with military forces and apply the treaty by force. Captain d'Annunzio, with 4,500 men, cannot resist an attack by 20,000 unless a miracle happens, but it is a shame."

POET'S STOCK DOWN IN PARIS.

But It Is Generally Believed That d'Annunzio Will Die Fighting.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

PARIS, Dec. 27.—Whatever sympathy there used to be in France for d'Annunzio when he seized Fiume has rapidly died in the last few months, and today the headline in one Paris newspaper reflects the general opinion of his latest enterprise: "A poet is having men killed in order to have a fine death for himself." D'Annunzio is regarded as the victim of his colossal conceit and is believed now to be only desirous of a death which will give him martyrdom.

Here in Paris, where he used to be well known, it is regarded as almost certain that he will not surrender or allow himself to be captured. Either he will seek death on the battlefield or will emulate Brutus at Phillippi and in true Roman fashion take his own life rather than suffer captivity. If he chooses either of these methods he will rid the Italian Government of the difficulty of having to decide what to do with him.

Paris is taking the greatest interest in the fate of the poet, but, as it entails the death of other men, that interest is tinged with a strong degree of impatience, and the general verdict is that d'Annunzio is suffering from megalomania, which is very near madness.

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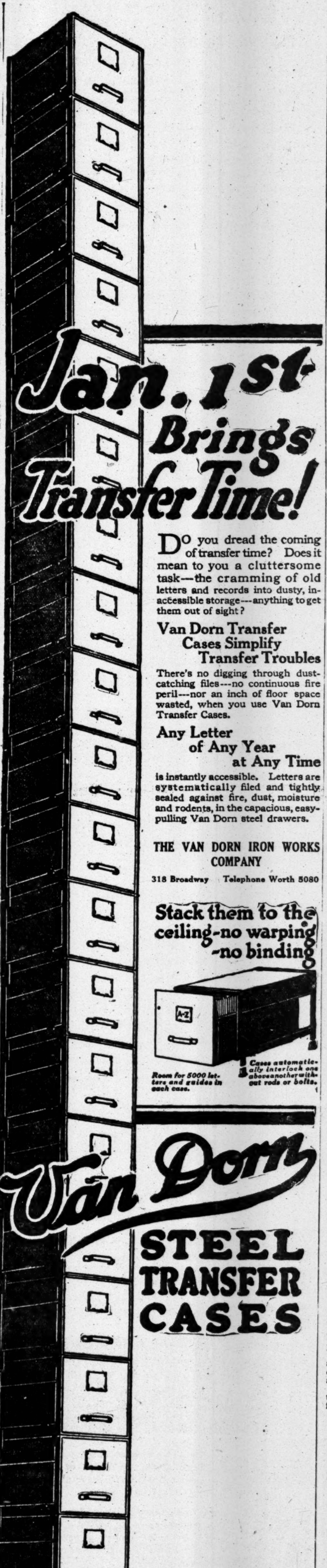

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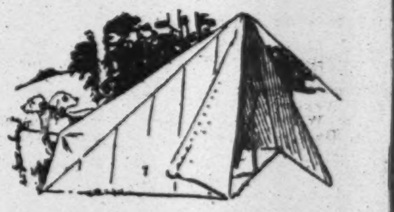

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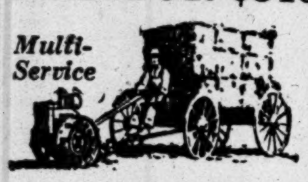

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Standing Committee Fixes Jan. 26 Date for Election of Dr. Burch's Successor.

SEES QUICK ACTION NEEDED

Bishops Thomas of Wyoming and Brent of Western New York Among Possible Nominees.

The Standing Committee of the Episcopal Diocese of New York issued a call yesterday for a special convention to be held in the Cathedral of St. John the Divine on Wednesday, Jan. 26, to elect a successor to Bishop Charles Sumner Burch, who died suddenly a week ago yesterday.

Announcement of the call was made by the Rev. Dr. Charles K. Gilbert, Secretary of the Diocese. It was signed by the Rev. Dr. Ernest M. Stires, rector of the Church of St. Thomas's, President of the Standing Committee, and George Zabriskie, a lawyer, its Secretary.

In explaining the desirability of electing a successor to the late Bishop Burch as quickly as possible, the Standing Committee said in its call that the late bishop "invariably set the welfare of the church above all considerations of personal sorrow," and it seemed advisable in view of the urgent need for filling the vacancy to hold the convention on the date set.

Dr. Gilbert will send a notice to each clergyman in the diocese on Thursday. It has been decided that the delegates already elected for the regular annual convention next May cannot sit at the special convention, unless elected at the special elections which will be held in each vestry.

In talk of a possible successor for Bishop Burch, interest centred yesterday in the Rt. Rev. Nathaniel Seymour Thomas, Missionary Bishop of Wyoming. Bishop Thomas was the only candidate outside New York nominated at the convention which elected Bishop Burch fifteen months ago, and received at that time eight clerical votes on the first ballot.

There was also a suggestion that Bishop Charles Henry Brent of the Diocese of Western New York, might be called. When Bishop Brent was Missionary Bishop of the Philippines there was considerable talk of electing him Coadjutar Bishop of New York. As he is now Bishop of a See, Bishop Brent could not be transferred to New York without the consent of the House of Bishops, and if the Diocese of New York should elect him, it would have to wait for a meeting of the House of Bishops, which would probably be a considerable time. Precedent in the Church is said to be against such a course.

HAS HOTEL TO REFUTE COBB

Ohio Town Builds One and Then Invites Writer to Enjoy Its Hospitality

Special to The New York Times.

STEUBENVILLE, Ohio, Dec. 27.—This town of 30,000 felt so jovial over its new $1,000,000 hotel, financed by the community, that it decided to refute some of the charges against the town's hotel hospitality made a year ago by Irvin S. Cobb in a magazine article following his completion of a lecture tour.

Tonight the Chamber of Commerce sent Cobb a night letter inviting him to come back and be convinced of the change.

"Come back, Irv," it reads, "Steubenville has a real hotel now, without either hot or cold roaches."

In his article Cobb dwelt with minute detail on Steubenville's shortcomings, commenting on the trains that whizzed and roared by his ear as he tried to sleep, and on the furnishing of each room with hot or cold roaches.

The Chamber of Commerce backed the erection of the new hotel, a nine-story structure with 200 rooms and three kinds of dining-room service. Four hundred and twenty-five business men bought the stock. Operation of it has been turned over to the management of a chain hotel system.

HOLDS 7 POLICEMEN AT BAY.

Alleged Moonshiner With Shotgun Defies Raiders for Half an Hour.

CAMDEN, N. J., Dec. 27.—Chief of Police Baxter and six policemen captured Andrew Fischt today after he had barricaded himself in a farmhouse. Fischt, with a shotgun, stood the seven policemen off for half an hour, but surrendered after an exchange of shots. No one was injured. He was brought to jail here.

Federal agents reported they found two large stills on Fischt's farm and forty gallons of whisky and vodka. Fischt, a Russian, drove his wife and children out of his home when crazed with drink, the police said. The wife and children were found walking along the road half frozen and were taken to shelter by a farmer. Fischt's wife told the Federal agents her husband sold liquor to Russians in Philadelphia.

M. F. Hanson Buys a Newspaper.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 27.—Announcement has been made here that M. F. Hanson, general manager of The Philadelphia Record for many years and one of the best-known newspaper men in Pennsylvania, has purchased The Duluth Herald, Duluth, Minn., and will leave Philadelphia to take charge of that newspaper Jan. 4. On the evening before his departure a testimonial dinner will be given to him at the Ritz-Carlton by his friends.

KILL 5, SEIZE 138 AT IRISH DANCE

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pealing earnestly to the local rate collectors not to pay the money they take to the British authorities and warning them if they persist "it will appeal no more, but will act sternly and swiftly, as a Government is a state of war. Rate collectors cannot be allowed to dictate to the Irish nation."

The Dail Eireann, on Sept. 17, decreed a complete break between the Irish local governing bodies and the British local Government Board. Consequently, the latter department instructed the rate collectors in Ireland to continue to collect the taxes as they fell due and to pay them to their own banking accounts, and not to the Irish County Councils and other local bodies.

This a number of collectors have done, with the result that the local councils are beginning to feel very badly lack of cash for carrying on the ordinary work of administration.

Moreover, the British Parliament has just passed a law making compensation for malicious injuries a first charge on the funds of local councils within whose territories they are committed. Consequently, the Sinn Feiners not only find themselves without funds to administer the poor law, maintain roads, and so on, but also see money that should have gone for such objects liable to diversion in aid of men injured by extremists of their own party.

So now they have issued this appeal and threat. Rate collectors, they point out with true Irish humor, have one simple course before them—they can resign and draw their pensions, but if they will not resign, let them collect the rates and hand them over to the Dail Eireann.

Government circles regard this as another proof of the financial pressure now being put on the Sinn Fein.

DENIES DE VALERA SAILED.

Will Be Heard From Soon, Secretary Says—Mrs. MacSwiney Going Home

Harry Boland, Secretary of Eamon De Valera, "President of the Irish Republic," arrived in this city last night, accompanying Mrs. Muriel MacSwiney and Miss Mary MacSwiney who have completed their tour of New England. When reporters sought to question him as to the whereabouts of De Valera Mr. Boland replied that he had nothing to say.

"Will you deny the report, which many persons believe, that Mr. De Valera is on his way to England or Ireland?" Mr. Boland was asked.

"Yes, I will deny that most emphatically," the secretary replied. "You will hear from Mr. De Valera shortly."

Mr. Boland announced that Mrs. MacSwiney would return to Ireland on Saturday on the steamer Panhandle State, while her sister-in-law would begin a lecture tour of the United States after Mrs. MacSwiney's departure.

TALK OF TRUCE IN IRELAND

But Government Wants Republicans to Surrender Arms.

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Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

DUBLIN, Dec. 27.—From an authentic source I learn tonight that the prospects of a truce preliminary to peace negotiations, while very dubious, are still remotely possible.

According to my informant, the Government has demanded that as a condition of the truce all republican arms and ammunition must be handed over. It is on that point that the truce question is suspended.

As against this I understand certain members of the Government are willing to concede that there should be no insistence upon surrender of arms, and are even prepared to admit that if a truce were arranged it might be difficult to control isolated extremists during the interim.

"I am not over-sanguine," said my informant, "but there is hope in the fact that the conversations have not been entirely broken off."

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11,000 WORKERS INVOLVED

Masters, Mates and Pilots Promise to Join—Recalls Millions Lost Last Winter.

The Harbor Boatmen's Union at a meeting last evening at its rooms, 9 South Street, decided not to accept the 1921 working agreement as presented by the New York Towboat Exchange, an action tantamount to a declaration to strike unless some eleventh-hour compromise is reached between the workers and the boat owners.

Coincident with the decision of the Harbor Boatmen, the Masters, Mates and Pilots Association announced that it also had rejected the owners' agreement and would strike with the boatmen on Jan. 1, the day when the present working agreement expires. John Ambrose, John Ford and Hugh McGee, comprising a committee from the pilots' organization, came to the South Street meeting and informed Secretary Arthur Olsen of the Harbo Boatmen that they would join in a strike and would stick with the boatmen "to a finish."

The strike, according to Captain William A. Maher, head of the Masters, Mates and Pilots Association, will involve some 11,000 harbor workers. There are probably six thousand men in the two unions, and their action automatically will throw the engineers and other boatmen not union members out of employment. The Harbor Boatmen's Union is composed of oilers, firemen, deckhands and cooks. The engineers have their union, and this union some time ago voted to accept the 1921 working agreement offered by the Towboat Owners Association. Their action, Mr. Maher said, would not interfere with the strike of the other workers.

The strike will be directed against about five hundred independent owners of towboats and steam lighters. The unions already have asked the Board of Estimate for a readjustment of wages for the men employed on the municipal boats, but no decision has been announced. If the unions succeed in tying up harbor craft, there will be a repetition of the trouble last Winter, which caused millions of dollars loss at this port.

The harbor boatmen and pilots have the same grievances. They asked the boat owners for an all-around increase in pay that amounted to about $30 a month, and they insisted upon a ten-hour day. In place of the latter the owners offered a sixty-hour week, and this is the main cause of the split. The men said that with the sixty-hour-a-week clause in the new agreement the owners could work the men long stretches at a time and then lay them off, so that the total working hours for the week would be sixty. This, they claim, would enable them to evade overtime payments. Early in the week a joint committee walked out of a meeting with the owners and since then negotiations have been hanging fire. Now, the men said, they were broken off.

Joseph Moran of the New York Towboat Exchange, when apprised of the action of the unions, said he had nothing to say.

UNEMPLOYED HERE MAY PASS 2,000,000 MARK

Some Estimates Beyond That Figure—Government Report Due Jan. 15.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—An approximate estimate of the unemployed in the United States, with some idea of whether the idleness promises to be temporary or long standing, will be embodied in a report to be made public on Jan. 15 by the United States Employment Service.

For the purposes of the survey, the country has been divided into nine districts heretofore included in the activities of the bureau. The field workers have been engaged in making the canvass of the principal industrial cities and the larger towns in their field, with instructions to report to Washington by Jan. 15.

After this survey has been given to the public the bureau will confine its activities to the usual bi-monthly report of the payrolls of the country. The latter usually furnishes the most accurate data as to industrial activities, but it was thought best to make a quicker survey for immediae use.

John B. Densmore, Director of the United States Employment Service, said that he had no figures available now which would permit him to estimate the number of idle in the country. A statement issued four weeks ago by the American Federation of Labor placed the number at 2,000,000. Since that time stagnation in industry has increased with a consequent increase in the unemployed. Some statisticians estimate that the number of unemployed reaches 2,750,000.

Wants to Make Beer as a Medicine.

MILWAUKEE, Dec. 27.—A Wisconsin brewery has asked permission to make beer for medicinal purposes, according to an announcement made today by Nelson A. White, Chief Inspector in the office of Thomas A. Delaney, Prohibition Director. The request was refused for the present. Several physicians had told Mr. Delaney that there were certain cases in which they preferred to prescribe beer instead of whisky.

BUSINESS PROSPECTS FOR 1921.

James B. Forgan, Chairman of Board of Directors, First National Bank of Chicago; George M. Reynolds, President Continental and Commercial National Bank, Chicago; Emory N. Clark, President First and Old Detroit National Bank; F. M. Prince, Chairman Executive Committee, First National Bank of Minneapolis, and John C. Lonsdale, President National Bank of Commerce, St. Louis, will contribute opinions on the business of 1920 and prospects of 1921 to the Annual Review of The Annalist, Jan. 3. Price 10 cents a copy. Order in advance. Annual subscription to The Annalist, $5. Published by The New York Times Company.—Advt.

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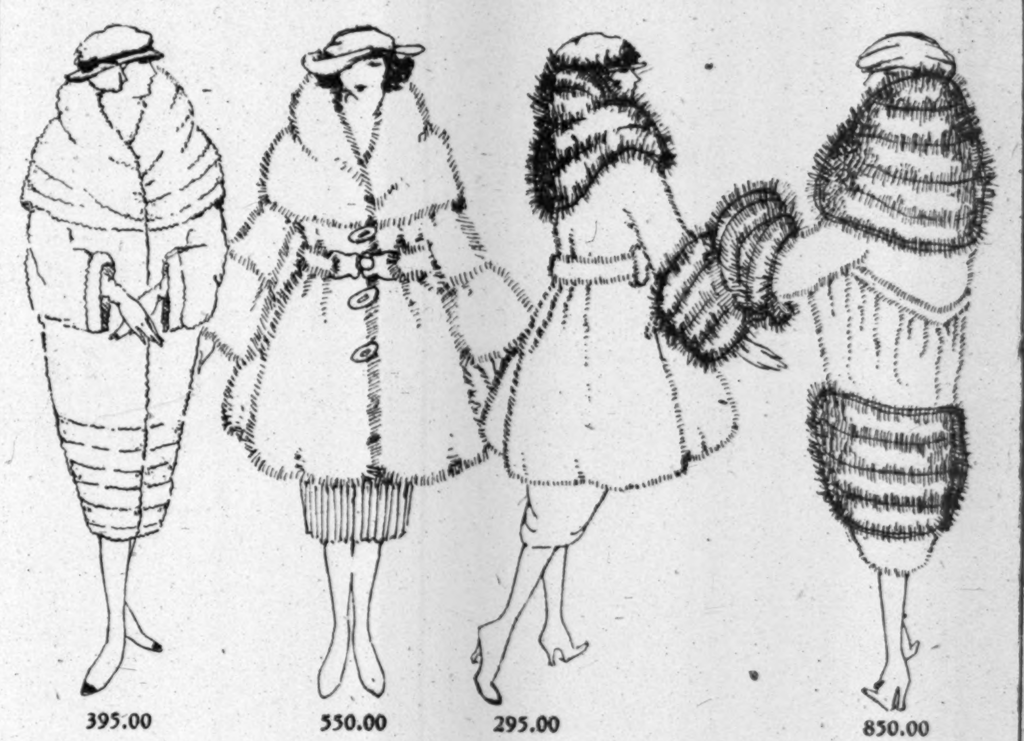

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MOVES TO ORGANIZE STEEL MILL LABOR

New Committee Plans to Hold Its First Meeting in Washington Next Month.

SAY FOSTER IS STILL IN IT

His Friends Deny He and Fitzpatrick Have Been Eliminated on the Issue of Radicalism.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—The new labor committee charged with continuing the effort to organize the steel industry plans to hold its first formal meeting here next month. Some of the members already here express the opinion that the first meeting will probably be devoted largely to a survey of the developments of the year which has passed since the last attempt and the laying of grounds to continue the fight at a time which the leaders may consider opportune.

The Chairman of the reorganized committee is M. F. Tighe and the Secretary now is William Hannon. William H. Johnson, President of the International Association of Machinists, is a member. Secretary Morrison of the American Federation of Labor is expected to participate in the coming meeting, as he is trustee of the $70,000 fund which remained in the hands of the old organization committee when it was dissolved.

The new committee was formed at a meeting last month, at which were represented the international unions having members in the steel industry, rather than at a meeting of the Executive Council of the American Federation of Labor, as was erroneously stated at that time. The representatives of the unions, however, did meet at the call of the Executive Council.

When the election of Chairman Tighe was announced and it became known that John Fitzpatrick and W. Z. Foster, Chairman and Secretary, respectively, of the former committee had not been chosen for places, some of those who identify themselves as among the conservative element of the movement permitted the impression to go out that Fitzpatrick and Foster had practically been eliminated from the organizing forces on the issue of radicalism.

Friends of both, however, hastened to point out that far from being eliminated, neither Fitzpatrick nor Foster was represented at the newest organization meeting, and that Foster resigned from the old committee in January, 1920, and was succeeded by Jay G. Brown, known also as "Seattle" Brown. Fitzpatrick, who is also President of the Chicago Federation of Labor, served with Brown until June, when he recommended to the Montreal convention of the American Federation that the committee be dissolved, and both presented their own resignations, turning over to Secretary Morrison, as trustee, nearly $70,000 of the steel strike fund after all bills had been paid. The matter of further organization was left in the hands of the Executive Council of the Federation.

Fitzpatrick and Foster and their friends resent any implication that the action of the new committee in choosing new officers was a repudiation of their leadership of last year's strike because of the issue of radicalism which was so closely associated with it.

Fitzpatrick says that while he expects to have no connection with the new movement, it has been demonstrated that the steel industry can be organized, and that any inference that he and Foster had been "eliminated" on the issue of radicalism is connected with attempts to discredit the new movement.

DENOUNCE WILSON'S FAILURE TO FREE DEBS

Socialist Headquarters Angered by Refusal to Grant Christmas Pardon to Prisoner.

CHICAGO, Dec. 27.—Agitation for the release of all political prisoners and the restoration of "political liberty" until "the last vestige of Wilsonism is erased" was promised in a statement from Socialist Party headquarters here today following the refusal of President Wilson to pardon Eugene V. Debs at Christmas.

"We refuse to believe," the statement says, "that President Wilson, who has pardoned murderers, bank robbers, burglars, adulterators of good, German spies, dope dealers, bank wreckers and other choice criminals, speaks for the American people when he continues to keep in prison a political opponent.

"The President's assumption of the right to speak for all the American people was tested two months ago, and unless he has not read the election returns he knows what his fellow-citizens think of that assumption.

"The principle involved is simple. Have the American people the right to express their honest opinions on any subject, political, economic, social or have they not? If they have, then it is a crime against the American people to send men and women to prison for the expression of their opinions, and the man who by his own deliberate act keeps such people in prison sins against the whole American people. If they have not, then our pretensions at democracy and liberty are a lie and a sham and the sooner we discard the pretense the better."

Railway Strike Menace in Austria.

VIENNA, Dec. 24.—The railway workers of Southern Austria today gave the Government twenty-four hours in which to promise to take measures to reduce the cost of living. Otherwise the workers threaten to strike.

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REA ANNOUNCES DECISION

President Alfred of the Pere Marquette Tells of Falling Revenues That Caused Cut.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 27.—President Rea of the Pennsylvania Railroad system, announced today that present business conditions "will necessitate further reduction in the number of employes and in the working expenses and capital expenditures until the situation improves."

The number of men to be laid off was not announced. It was understood to be the purpose of the management to cut expenses about 10 per cent. The company gave out the following:

"As to the Pennsylvania Railroad system's policy with reference to curtailment of expenses, President Samuel Rea today made public the following general notice sent to the administrative and region al Vice Presidents of the Pennsylvania system:

"'Conditions now confronting the Pennsylvania and other railroads make it essential to observe the utmost economy consistent with safety and efficiency. Traffic has already declined and unmistakable indications exist of a slowing up of business. It is very important that the situation should be clearly understood by the employes and the publcl.

"'It is hoped that such reduction in business as may take place will continue only for a brief period, but this condition has already involved curtailment and will necessitate further reduction in the number of employes and in the working expenses and capital expenditure until the situation improves.'"

Retrenchment on the Pere Marquette.

President Frank H. Alfred, in a signed statement which will appear in the Pere Marquette Railway publication Service for January, gives an explanation of the reasons for the recent reduction in the working force of the company and the other retrenchments that have been effected. He writes:

"We are face to face with a situation that the best of brains of the country never for a moment anticipated only a few months ago. This is proved beyond cavil with respect to the decisions of the Labor Board and the Interstate Commerce Commission, when the former granted a 23 per cent. increase in wages to employes as of May 1, 1920, and the latter to meet this additional charge allocated a 10 per cent. increase in freight rates, making 40 per cent. in all, instead of the 30.43 per cent. increase which had been sought to meet general expenses of the railroads at the time and to permit the payment of 6 per cent. on the investment.'

"The computations that were made at the time of the Labor Board's award did not take into account the possibility of a recession in traffic conditions from the standard that then existed. Herein lies the difficulty. This contingency never entered into the equation. All computations were made presupposing a constant 'peak load of traffic.'

"The disparity between the increased wages and the anticipated increased revenue is nearly $145,000 a month, which for aperiod of twelve months amounts to nearly $1,750,000 a year. As a matter of fact, the Pere Marquette Railway is earning revenue at the present time but very little in excess of a year ago, estimated for November at 4.35 per cent. increase and it is hardly expected that these revenues will be any better for December.

"Let us hope that conditions will so change as to permit of our speedy return to a full working force, which is so much to be desired."

Mine Workers Start a Newspaper.

HAZLETON, Pa., Dec. 27.—Thomas Kennedy, President of the United Mine Workers of the Hazleton district and Chairman of the General Scale Committee, has been elected President of the Panthey Creek News, a new daily paper launched at Coaldale. Miners have subscribed for the stock. Michael Hartneady of Nesquehoning, President of the Mine Workers of the Panther Creek Valley, is Vice President, and John Guyer, formerly of Philadelphia, is editor.

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Buff, Navy, Copenhagen, Brown, American Beauty, Also Black

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Reduced in Price
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White and Brown—1 to 3 years.
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2 to 6 years.
Knitted Shirts—25c, 50c, 95c, $1.95
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MISS M. MULQUEEN WEDS PAUL G. DALY

Archbishop Hayes Officiates at Ceremony of Late Ex-Mayor Gilroy's Granddaughter.

MISS VAN DYKE A BRIDE

Daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Henry van Dyke Married in Princeton—Leconte-Armstrong Nuptial.

The wedding of Paul Gerard Daly, a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Daly, and Miss Madeleine Mulqueen, younger daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Michael J. Mulqueen of the Vanderbilt Hotel, and a granddaughter of the late Thomas F. Gilroy, a former Mayor of New York, was solemnized at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon in St. Patrick's Cathedral, Archbishop Hayes, assisted by Monsignors and priests, officiating.

The bride, who walked up the aisle with her father, wore a white satin robe having a long train; the rose point lace bridal veil of the bridegroom's mother draped the dress from corsage to hem, and her mother's Brussels point veil, also worn by the bride's grandmother, four aunts and her sister—yesterday's matron of honor—served as her bridal veil and swept out over the train. She carried a cluster of large lilies and wore the bridegroom's gift, a diamond bracelet.

The matron of honor was the bride's sister, Mrs. John S. Reilly, in turquoise blue velvet embroidered in crystals, topped by a flesh-colored hat with flesh-colored plumes, matching the silken hose and slippers. She carried pink roses. The other attendants were Mrs. Herbert Sierck, Mrs. Laughran Daly and the Misses Mary A. Cushman, Isabel McMillin, Helen Schwidewind, Ada Tripp, Helen Norman Smith and Marie Louise Nichols. A novel color scheme was carried out in the gowning of the attendants. They were in pale gray lace flounced over gray satin with silver slippers, and two wore large yellow Gainssborough straw hats with plumes to match and cashes and bouquets to match. Two had green hats with the accessories to match, including their bouquets; two were in orchid and two were in pale blue as to hats and accessories.

Chapin—Van Dyke.

Miss Paula van Dyke, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Henry van Dyke, was married yesterday afternoon to Henry Chapin, son of Mr. and Mrs. William H. Chapin of Springfield, Mass., at Avalon, the Princeton (N. J.) home of the bride's parents. The Rev. Tertius van Dyke, brother of the bride, who is pastor of the Park Avenue Presbyterian Church in this city, officiated.

The bride, who made her own wedding dress, was attended by her sister, Miss Elaine van Dyke, and her father gave her in marriage. Mr. Chapin's best man was his brother, Stuart Chapin. Mrs. Chapin, who is a graduate of the School for Girls at Famington, recently returned from her work with the Commission for Relief in the Near East.

Leconte—Armstrong.

The wedding of Mrs. Dorothy Armstrong, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Chapman of 352 West 117th Street, and Robert Leconte of the French High Commission took place at noon yesterday in All Souls' Church, the Rev. Clifton Macon officiating.

The bride was attended by Mrs. Charles Olcott as matron of honor and the best man was Lieutenant Roffiniere of the French High Commission. The bride was the widow of William H. Armstrong, who died in this city several years ago. Her father is a well-known hotel man, having been manager of the Martinique and later was at the Waldorf-Astoria.

Hobart-Choate Wedding Tomorrow.

The wedding of Miss Miriam Choate, daughter of the late Rev. and Mrs. Washington Choate, and Newton B. Hobart, instructor at the Taft School in Watertown, N. Y., will take place in Salem, Mass., tomorrow. Miss Rhoda Reynolds, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank V. Reynolds, will be the flower girl and the only attendant.

Miss Choate is a graduate of Smith College. She formerly lived in Greenwich, her father being at one time pastor of the Second Congregational Church there. She is now with the Home Missionary Society in this city. Mr. Hobart's wife died several years ago.

Gives Dinner to Arturo Toscanini.

Mrs. Frederick S. Coolidge gave a dinner of forty covers last night at the Hotel St. Regis for Arturo Toscanini. The guests were seated at one oblong table in the marble ballroom, which was decorated with pink roses. Among the guests were the Italian Ambassador, Baron Romano Avezzano, Mr. and Mrs. Otto H. Kahn, Mr. and Mrs. Andre de Coppet, Mr. and Mrs. George F. Baker Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Walter Damrosch, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bauer, Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Ditson, Mme. Sembrich, Mr. and Mrs. George J. Gould Jr. and Mr. and Mrs. William Guggenheim.

Count Szechenyi Coming for Visit.

BUDAPEST, Dec. 25.—Count Laszlo Szechenyi is preparing to leave soon for the United States to visit his wife and children. The Countess, before her marriage, was Miss Gladys Vanderbilt of New York. The Count plans to return with his family in March.

Countess Szechenyi and her children are spending the Winter at Tuxedo Park. For some time after her arrival on this side, a year ago last September, the Countess was with her mother, Mrs. Vanderbilt, at her town house and at her place at Newport.

MISS MOSLE MAKES DEBUT.

Greeted by 500 at Colony Club—Misses Comstock and Day Presented

Yesterday's entertainments, as usual in the holiday season, were almost all given for débutantes and the younger girls and boys home from college and school.

Mrs. A. Henry Mosle entertained in the evening at the Colony Club with a dinner and a dance for some 500 guests to introduce her daughter, Miss Elizabeth Boardman Mosle. Other dinners before the dance had as their hostesses Mrs. Reginald Barclay, Mrs. Adams Batcheller, Mrs. Robert G. Mead and others. Among the guests at the dinner given by the débutante's parents were the Misses Betty Barber, Katharine W. Francis, Katharine Rogers, Betty Price, Anne Shiras of Pittsburgh, Juliette D. Longfellow, Georgina L. Wells, Lesta Ford, Sally Anderson, Catherine Watjen, Eliza Parish, Mary Van R. Cogswell, Margaret Davison, Katherine Conner, Elizabeth Lee Dodge, Carolyn Ferriday and Audrey Sherman.

Mrs. Mosle and Miss Mosle had assisting them in receiving the dance guests the Misses Anne Shiras, Katharine W. Francis and Lesta Ford. Among the girls who came in for the dance were the Misses Laura Harding, Clare Rynders, Mary Hurd, Annie B. Auchincloss, Mary H. Flagler, Elizabeth Moffat, Phyllis Batcheller, Susan Coppell, Elsie Parsons, Helen Hoyt, Isabel Rockefeller, Ellen and Nancy Jay, Elizabeth Meeker, Kathleen Crawford, Clara Workum, Emily Hammond, Caroline Prentice, Eleanor King, Elsie Parsons, Eunice James, Helen Trevor, Mary Wistar Morris, Betty Thompson, Marion Taylor, Louise Schieffelin and Eleanor King.

Mrs. George C. Comstock of 313 West Eighty-sixth Street gave a tea dance yesterday at the Gotham to introduce her second daughter, Miss Lydia Comstock. Mrs. Comstock and her daughter were assisted in receiving by Miss Mary E. Comstock, a sister of the débutante and who came out last year, and the Misses Mary Lewis, Hyacinthe Sutphen, Elizabeth Woodin, Cameron Edson, Catherine Ware, Jean Crawford and Beatrice Comstock, a cousin of the bud.

Mrs. Harry Arnold Day introduced her daughter, Miss Elizabeth Day, at a reception yesterday afternoon at 205 West Fifty-seventh Street. The young girls receiving with Miss Day were the Misses Winifred Eaton, Innes Driscoll, Erina Bell, Beatrice Byram, Crimora Hazleton, Juliet Thompson, Marjorie Daingerfield and Juliet Chisholm.

Mrs. George N. Gardiner gave a small dance at her residence, 570 Park Avenue, for her young daughter, a school girl, and son, George N. Gardiner Jr., who is a student at Roxbury. The guests were boys and girls around 16 or 17. A buffet supper was served before midnight.

The first of the Colony dances for the season took place last evening at the Ritz-Carlton. The girls who are members will not make their début for several years. This year's patronesses, some of whom received, are Mrs. Winthrop Burr, Mrs. Oliver G. Jennings, Mrs. H. Casimir de Rham, Mrs. Robert L. Stevens, Mrs. J. Magee Ellsworth and Mrs. Edward T. H. Talmage.

Mr. and Mrs. Maximilian Justus Averbeck of the Apthorp gave a dance, followed by a supper, last night at the Hotel Plaza for their daughter, Miss Carolyn Rodgers Averbeck. Among the guests were the Misses Virginia Squier, Katherine Biggs, Martha Keep, Dorothy Thompson, Frances McCoon, Helen Schwiewind, Laura Dwight, Louise Harkness, Helen Goodwin, Emily Redfield, Mary Marsh, Dorothy Dunn, and Jean and Madeline Pearson.

Mr. and Mrs. Irving T. Bush gave a reception and dance last night for their daughter, Miss Hope Bush, and her young friends, at the Bush Terminal Sales Building, in West Forty-second Street. The reception was held in the club rooms of the International Buyers, which were decorated with Christmas greens. Supper was served from 9 o'clock to midnight.

CARDINAL GIBBONS BETTER.

He Suffers Only from Muscular Weakness Due to Overwork.

BALTIMORE, Dec. 27.—Cardinal Gibbons was reported as feeling better this morning after a comfortable night's rest. He continues to remain in bed in obedience to his physician's orders and this is the sort of rest the prelate needs in large measure to restore his health, the doctor said today. The doctor added that there was nothing wrong with the Cardinal except muscular weakness due to overwork.

The Cardinal's restlessness Saturday night was caused by a slight attack of indigestion. He has good appetite and it is thought he ate a bit too much Christmas dinner. His doctor said the Cardinal had shown such improvement lately that it was hoped he would be able to return to Baltimore soon after New Year's Day from Union Mills, Md., where he went for a rest three weeks ago.

Emerson Hough Seriously Ill.

CHICAGO, Dec. 27.—Emerson Hough, the author, who was removed from his home to a hospital last week following several weeks' illness, was reported today to be in a serious condition. Physicians said double pneumonia had developed and that he spent a restless night.

HELP CHINESE REFUGEES.

Wadsworth Proposes Concession to Fugitives From Mexico.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—The 398 Chinese who came out of Mexico with the Pershing punitive expedition as refugees would be permitted to register with the Commissioner of Immigration under a joint resolution introduced today by Chairman Wadsworth of the Senate Military Committee.

The resolution says that the Chinese cannot return to their homes in Mexico with safety and "cannot at this time be deported to any other place justly and humanely."

Valparaiso Is Shaken.

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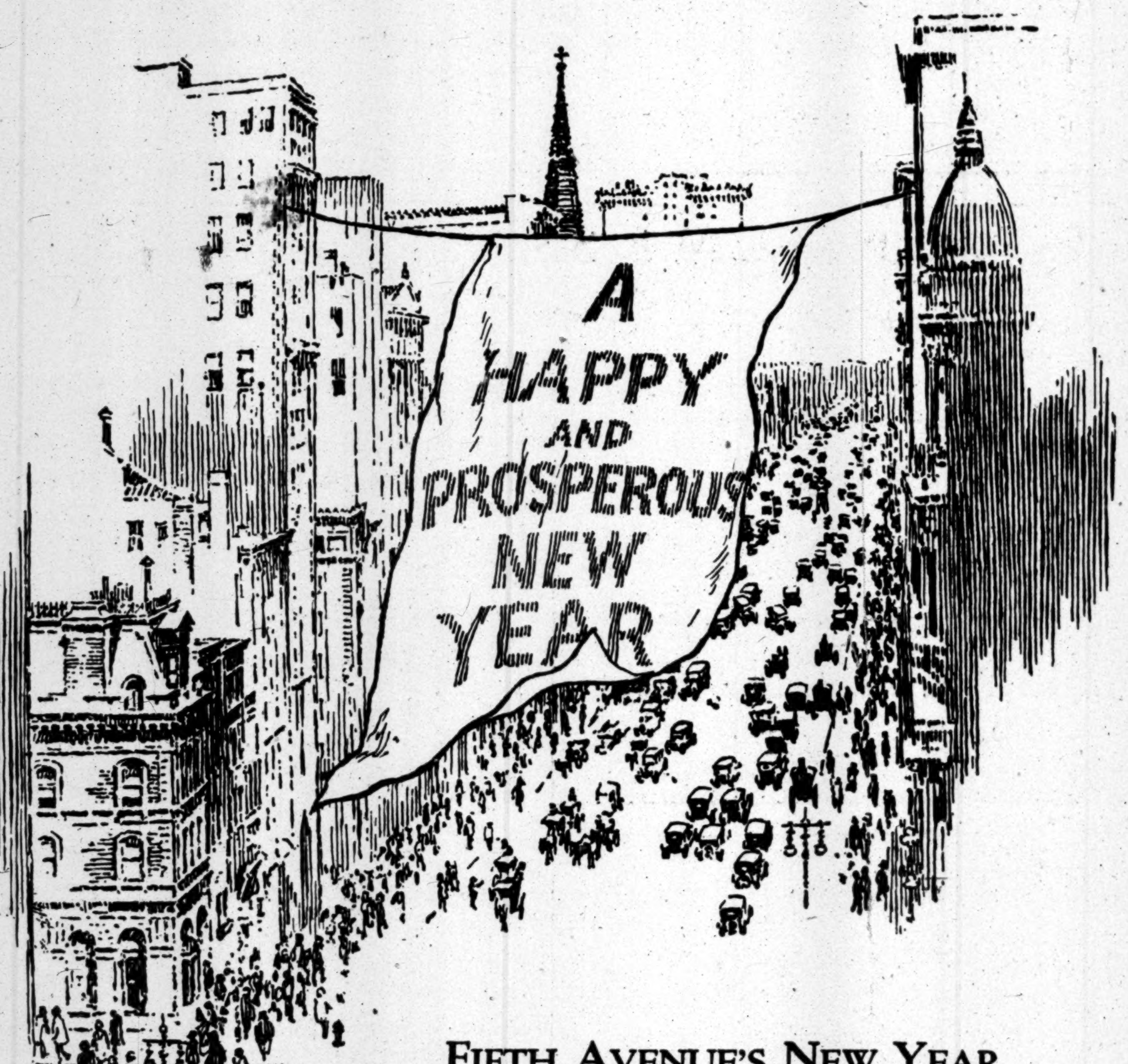
SANTIAGO, Chile, Dec. 27.—Reports from Valparaiso state that the city was shaken by nine earthquakes on Sunday, one of which was violent enough to cause a panic in a theatre. Several shocks were felt in towns around Valparaiso but no damage has been reported.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THE PLAY

By Alexander Woollcott

Zona Gale's Play.

MISS LULU BETT, a comedy in three acts by Zona Gale, based upon her novel of the same name. At the Belmont Theatre.

Monona Deacon	Lois Shore
Dwight Herbert Deacon	William E. Holden
Ina Deacon	Catherine Calhoun Doucet
Lulu Bett	Carroll McComas
Bobby Larkin	Jack Bohn
Mrs. Bett	Louise Closser Hale
Diana Deacon	Beth Varden
Neil Cornish	Willard Robertson
Ninian Deacon	Brigham Royce

The play which Zona Gale has fashioned from her own admirable story, "Miss Lulu Bett," arrived last evening at the Belmont Theatre, where it was warmly welcomed to town by a distinguished and honestly demonstrative audience, which derived considerable enjoyment from the spectacle of its familiar personage thus coming miraculously to life upon the stage. This is an enjoyment which has a certain kinship with the curiosity which bids a crowd of motion picture enthusiasts hang around the stage entrance of a theatre where one of their favorites is playing and with the satisfaction which is their reward when she comes tripping sweetly forth.

Thus it is great fun to see the child Monona wriggling around the dining room and to hear old Mrs. Bett come out of one of her "tantrims" long enough to acknowledge a gift of chocolate ice cream by observing grimly that "vanilla sits better." Toward such enjoyment an audience at the Belmont is greatly aided by the casting, at once bold and shrewd, which was Brock Pemberton's contribution to this, his second venture as a producer of plays along Broadway.

In the play called "Miss Lulu Bett," then, there are a good many sources of genuine pleasure for those who are both familiar with and fond of the book. What impression it would make on that *tabula rasa* which must be counted upon as the average playgoer's mind, it is not possible to say with any assurance. One can only guess, and the guess would be that the stray visitor to the Belmont would find there a rather dull and flabby play, one somewhat sleazily put together by a playwright who has but slight sense of dramatic values and no instinct at all for the idiom of the theatre.

Of that curious distillation of the pettiness and exasperation of life which she was able to put into the finest veins of her book, not much is carried unspoilt as tonic for the play. There are drops of it in some of the characterization, particularly in the rôle of the grandmother as written by Zona Gale and acted, inevitably and perfectly, by Louise Closser Hale.

But her task was easy as compared with that which faced Carroll McComas last evening when she stepped on to the stage before an audience made up of watchful folk, every man, woman and child of whom had either nourished a secret ambition to play the luckless Lulu or firmly and irrevocably selected the ideal actress—Maude Adams, May Irwin or another—for the part. Then, too, her picture of poor Miss Bett had to dight for its life against all the vivid impressions of her that were born of her extraordinary biography.

In the face of these difficulties, Miss McComas's achievement last evening was extraordinary. It is true that at first she played the household drudge with a little too much of the raw sensitiveness and quivering lip of the conventional wronged heroine of all melodrama. It is also true that later her transformation to the Lulu who had departed from the bed and board of Ninian Deacon in Savannah, Ga., was a breathtaking transformation into a beauty so appealing—nay, so dazzling—that it was difficult throughout the rest of the play to understand why all the men of ortage, Wis., were not breaking down the door in their insistent wooing of her. But, aside from these matters which were really less important than you might think, her performance was exceptionally fine. It was a hardy and an intuitive stroke of the producer's art to select for Lulu Bett the same actress who had embodied the Salamander of Owen Johnson's bygone novel. A good choice—eminently justified by Miss McComas, who is an excellent actress and no mistake.

The embittered Monona, the windy and heavily jocular Dwight, the sapheaded and weakly tyrannical Ina, these three, and Cornish and Ninian, are all adroitly cast and played by a company that does handsomely by a play that is not, by a good deal, as worth their while as it might have been.

"The Emperor Jones."

New York witnessed an interesting and significant phenomenon of the theatre yesterday afternoon when, as had happened once before this year, a play by Eugene O'Neill burst the seams of the theatrical space allotted to it and reached out for a larger and more general audience. Just as a stage had to be found for "Beyond the Horizon" last Winter, so "The Emperor Jones" could not be extinguished when its frequently extended time at the microscopic theatre in Macdougal Street was finally all spent, and yesterday afternoon, under the management of Adolph Klauber, the Provincetown Players sent a delegation of players uptown to inaugurate a series of special matinees at the Selwyn Theatre.

So the more orthodox theatregoers, who always get worked up into the state necessary to seek their plays in out-of-the-way places the week after those plays have been shelved, will now find "The Emperor Jones," large as life and quite as astonishing, ensconced in Times Square. It is preceded there by an old Provincetown success, "Tickless Time," which is an amusing little satire, so skimpily played that, as a curtain raiser to the O'Neill play, it seems like offering a macaroon as an appetizer to a haunch of venison.

Transferred to the larger and better equipped stage of the Selwyn, O'Neill's exciting and terrifying play about a night flight through a fever-steeped and panicky forest in the tropics is unfolded with illusive beauty, marred yesterday only by mishaps which, even as they tore that illusion, could be identified as chances of the day which were unlikely to be repeated. Of course Charles S. Gilpin continues to give his amazing and unforgettable performance as the quondam Pullman car porter turned Emperor on a far-away island. It is superb acting, and the success of the O'Neill play is so dependent on it that it were better to give "Deburau" without Atwill or even "Samson and Delilah" without Ben-Ami than to attempt "The Emperor Jones" without Mr. Gilpin.

ACT PLAYS FOR CHILDREN.

Performances by Young People's Theatre and Professional School.

Two special programs for children were presented in the local theatres yesterday. Three plays were staged at the Apollo under the direction of Mme. Alberti and the Young People's Theatre, Inc. The plays, which were unusually well acted and effectively set, included, "Nevertheless," by Stuart Walker; "The Doll's Adventure," a pantomime by Mme. Alberti, and "Three Pills in a Bottle" by Rachel Lyman Field. Honors were won by Lillian Ross in the first and last named. The same bill will be repeated today and Thursday.

At the Longacre Theatre a performance was given under the auspices of the Professional Children's School. On the program, which will be given again today, were "The Princess Winsome," "The Dancing Dolls," "The Adventures of Lady Ursula," and tableaux by Ben Ali Haggin.

Guido Agosti, Pianist, Makes Debut.

Guido Agosti, an Italian pianist of talent, lately arrived by way of South America, gave his first recital in Aeolian Hall yesterday afternoon. He was heard with cordial interest in the Bach-Busoni toccata in C, pieces by Debussy, Rachmaninoff and Chopin, and arrangements by Godowsky and Liszt.

Oscar Nicastro, 'cellist, and Martha Baird, pianist, appeared last evening in Aeolian Hall, Mr. Nicastro being assisted by Stuart Ross in a sonata of Bach and arrangements by himself from Granados and Paganini. Miss Baird gave Dutch folk melodies arranged by Josef Hoffmann, a "Christmas Night" by Liapounow, Dett's "Juba Dance," and an "Island Spell" and "The Scarlet Ceremonies" by John Ireland.

"HER FAMILY TREE" BLOOMS

Nora Bayes Captivates in a Musical Comedy, Often Broadly Amusing.

HER FAMILY TREE, a musical comedy in two acts and eleven scenes. Lyrics and music by Seymour Simons; book by Al Weeks, Arthur Baer and Julius Tannen. At the Lyric Theatre.

Principals—Nora Bayes, Julius Tannen, Al Roberts, Frank Morgan, Florence Morrison, Una Fleming, Thelma Carlton, Alan Edwards, Jerome Bruner, Tom Bryan, Rendall Sisters, Donald Sawyer, Marguerite Daniels, Henriette Wilson, Cecil Harrington, Betty Stewart, Helen McCarthy, Ray Vance, Millie Oertel, Dudley Wilkinson, Florence Brady, Polly Bowman, Evelyn Sintae, Cecile Lee, Grace Russell, Estelle Nesbit, Dorothy Morrison, Grace Rivers, Edith Rook, Earl Mossman.

The popular Nora Bayes, continuing her career as an actress-manager, appeared last night at the Lyric Theatre in an ambitious, generally entertaining and overlong musical comedy entitled "Her Family Tree." Although Miss Bayes and a group of songs have always been sufficient to hold a given audience for hours, she has thrown herself upon this occasion into the presentation of an elaborate musical piece, with plenty of costumes, a numerous company and scenes shifting from New York to an English garden, a spot in China, Noah's Ark and other musical comedy locales.

It is not exactly the kind of piece in which one might expect to find Miss Bayes—probably because she does not need it—but in it her opportunities are legion. In a succession of blonde wigs and resplendent costumes she appears as a girl of the West, a Chinese heroine, a girl of the minuet period, a heroine of the crusading days and finally as Japhet's wife in the Noah's Ark burlesque. And if beneath it all she is always Nora Bayes, why, that is indubitably what her audience want.

It will be apparent from what has been said that "Her Family Tree" is somewhat akin to "As You Were" in method, which it is. In this instance, however, the past is seen through the eyes of a seeress and reincarnation is the peg upon which the various scenes are hung. Opportunities are thus provided for a series of broad burlesques, as well as for one or two scenes in more serious mood. California in the days of '49 provided the most amusing of the burlesques last night, and the crusading days were almost equally hilarious. An English garden scene, with Miss Bayes somewhat out of her element, was nevertheless attractively done.

The piece is distinguished by an unusually tuneful score by Seymour Simons, even though not all of the melodies smote the ear unfamiliarly. The book, which is the work of Al Weeks, a Detroit newspaper man, and the local Arthur Baer, is often broadly amusing, even though it is possible to anticipate much of the humor. Thus the crusading scene depended overmuch upon the double meaning of "knight," and the possibilities of Ham were not neglected in the Noah's Ark bit. Humor of a more sophisticated school, fortunately, was provided between episodes by the dependable Julius Tannen, in scenes with the seeress.

Frank Morgan does partricularly good work in a series of characterizations, and a pair of dancers named Una Fleming and Tom Bryan were also conspicuous. The piece has been elaborately staged and costumed.

GALLI-CURCI TO WED AGAIN.

Diva to Marry Homer Samuels, Pianist, Named in Husband's Suit.

CHICAGO, Dec. 27.—Mme. Amelita Galli-Curci, grand opera star of Chicago, announced today her coming marriage to Homer Samuels, her accompanist, and the man whom her husband, Marquis Luigi C. Curci, sought unsuccessfully to involve in her divorce suit a year ago.

"Yes, I am to marry Mr. Samuels," the diva said, laughing. "The date has not yet been set, but it will be soon. And I am very happy."

Mme. Galli-Curci, who won fame among the artists of the Chicago Opera Company in 1916, was born in Milan, Italy, in 1889. She obtained her first citizenship papers here last January.

It was said tonight that the marriage would likely take place quietly at St. Paul or Minneapolis on Jan. 16. As Mr. Samuels is an American citizen, the singer would become one without completing her naturalization begun last January shortly after obtaining her divorce.

The pianist was mentioned by the diva's former husband in his cross complaint after she had charged Curci with non-support and infidelity and had named various women from New York to Oklahoma as corespondents.

WOLFF DIRECTS 'BLUE BIRD.'

His Opera at Metropolitan Matinee —Crimi Sings in "Pagliacci."

Albert Wolff, whom the French Government has just invited to direct the Paris Opera, conducted his musical setting of Maeterlinck's "The Blue Bird" for the first time this season at the Metropolitan yesterday afternoon, as the third of Mr. Gatti-Casazza's special holiday-week matinees. Georgette LeBlanc, the actress and former wife of Maeterlinck, was in Box 40, and the audience included many children. The Misses Delaunois and Ellis acted the pair of youngsters on the stage, while among three dozen singers named in the cast were Mmes. Berat, Axman, Perini, Harvard and Gordon, Messrs. Bada, Chalmers, Ananian and Rothier.

Giulio Crimi returned to the company last evening, singing Caruso's rôle in "Pagliacci" to a sold-out subscription with but a scant fringe of standees. Destinn and Amato reappeared, and the little opera was followed by the ballet "Il Carillon Magico."

3,000 HEAR "THE MESSIAH."

Oratorio Society Gives Gala Christmas Performance of Handel's Work.

Three thousand persons in Carnegie Hall and more than 300 on its stage last night marked a gala Christmas-tide performance of Handel's "The Messiah," sung by the Oratorio Society for the only time this season and the ninety-fifth in this organization's career. The hall was hung with greens and the chorus shared the platform with the orchestra of the Symphony Society, under Walter Damrosch's direction.

Frieda Hempel sang with rare art the soprano solo, "Rejoice Greatly," and again, after the "Hallelujah Chorus" by a standing house, she was heard in the great air, "I Know That My Redeemer Liveth," recalling Jenny Lind and this singer's part in a recent centenary of the Swedish nightingale. Mabel Beddoe carried the beautiful contralto numbers, and Judson House, tenor, and Royal Dadmun, bass, completed an excellent quartet.

"HAPPY HAWAII" IN LONDON.

Miss Clemens's Miniature Chautauqua Is Well Received.

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LONDON, Dec. 27.—Mildred Clemens, Mark Twain's cousin, presented her miniature Chautauqua, "Happy Hawaii," at Philharmonic Hall, London, this afternoon. The bright and unusual performance was very favorably received.

Miss Clemens hopes that it will prove a forerunner of the introduction of the Chautauqua movement into England.

MORE HELP NEEDED
For the Hundred Neediest Cases

More than $100,000 is required to meet the requirements for the 200 verified and meritorious cases of misfortune and helplessness in the City of New York included in THE TIMES "100 Neediest Cases." The fund is several thousand dollars short. Contributions of any sum are appealed for. Send check to order "100 Neediest Cases," care THE TIMES, Times Square.

FRITZ LEIBER AS HAMLET.

He Again Gives a Creditable Performance at the Lexington.

Fritz Leiber last night again appeared before a New York audience at the Lexington Theatre as Hamlet, a rôle in which he first presented himself here at the Forty-fourth Street Theatre a year ago. He knows his Shakespeare, having been for fifteen years a leading player with Julia Marlowe, Robert Mantell, and other companies producing the plays of the Bard of Avon. He knows his Hamlet and physically and in characterization fits the popular Hamlet. His figure, lean and trim, and his poetic masque are well suited to the part, and while he fails to carry one to the heights of tenseness contained in the action, he still keeps one's attention concentrated on the wistful, melancholy brooding which dominates the Prince of Denmark. He is a striking actor, one who realizes and makes the most of dramatic values without ranting or over-emphasis.

With the rest of his company, although he was the least of offenders in this, he failed in clear enunciation. The Ophelia of Virgina Bronson and the Polonius of John C. Hickey were noteworthy in a cast which, the star aside, was mediocre. Nevertheless, an audience which filled the greater part of the house, waited for the rising of the curtain until 8:45 and was content to stay until 12 o'clock. Really, at popular prices, Shakespeare can hold his own with musical comedy.

LEHAR OPERA IN GERMAN.

Gay Music in "Where the Lark Sings," Presented at Manhattan.

"Where the Lark Sings," by Franz Lehar, was presented at the Manhattan last night in what was said to be a first local production, its gay music led by Ernest Knoch bearing the hallmark of the old Lehar who wrote the "Merry Widow" waltzes. The story, in German text, by Willner and Reichert, was that of a village girl lured by an artist to Budapest. Martha Gantzberg was the girl, watched over by Oscar Hofmann, her village swain, and Kurt Gordon, her grandfather. Max Bratt acted the artist, Christian Rub his town friend and Eva Leoni his former flame, an opera singer.

Waltzes abounded, as did the village czardas, while the painter's studio in the second of the three acts was the scene of some "modern" dances by the opera star intended duly to shock the rustic maiden. Later the artist waltzed alone with the girl, then left her. A final scene, reached only after midnight, brought her disillusion and return to begin life over in the village, "where the lark was still singing."

CARUSO IS BETTER.

Has Less Pain, but Will Not Sing for at Least a Week, Doctors Say.

Enrico Caruso, who is ill with pleurisy at his suite in the Hotel Vandebilt, was reported yesterday to be better. Pain was much less than on the preceding days, and the physicians, satisfied with their diagnosis of the case, made only their regular visits to him on the eighteenth floor of the hotel. There was no need to call them at any time during the day or Sunday night.

Word was received at the Metropolitan Opera House yesterday that it would be a week or ten days before Caruso could think of resuming any of his rôles. A bulletin on his condition was issued yesterday by his doctors which said:

"Mr. Caruso is more comfortable this morning. The pleurisy is running its regular course and his condition is quite satisfactory."

JEWISH APPEAL TO LEAGUE.

Text of Plea for Inquiry on Pogroms Is Made Public Here.

Bernard G. Richards, Executive Secretary of the Provisional Organization for the American Jewish Congress, 1 Madison Avenue, made public yesterday the text of a recent appeal to the Assembly of the League of Nations, asking the associated nations to do what they could to relieve the plight of Jews in Eastern Europe. The appeal was signed by Israel Zangwill, N. Sokolow and Lucien Wolf.

In the communication the delegates at Geneva were told of pogroms "sweeping" centres of Jewish life "in endless succession." The catastrophe overtaking their co-religionists was described by the leaders as unparalleled in Jewish history.

Declaring confidence in the League's ability to aid, the statement called upon the assembled delegates for "the appointment of a commission of inquiry." It was said that the inquiry would obtain all assistance needed from the Committee of Jewish Delegations, the Anglo-Jewish Association and Mr. Zangwill's Jewish Territorial Organization.

WAR WELFARE RECEPTION.

Committee for Devastated France to Observe New Year's Day.

The officers and directors of the Committee for Devastated France will hold an old-fashioned New Year's reception at the Anderson Galleries, Fifty-ninth Street and Park Avenue, Jan. 1, from 3 to 6 in the afternoon. The Committee on Arrangements comprises Edward Dean Adams, Miss Mary Lincoln Aldrich, Dr. Alexander C. Humphreys, Miss Anne Morgan, Miss May Taylor Moulton Miss Elizabeth Perkins, Philip Ashton Rollins, Miss Elizabeth Scarborough and Miss Maude Wetmore. Tea and other refreshments will be served by Miss Janet Brower, Miss Lillian Cotton, Miss Abby Morrison, Mrs. G. Allen Peabody, Miss Eleanor Peabody, Miss Katharine van Renseliaer and Miss Doris Trever.

A private view will be given of the paintings of the late Edmund Louyot of Lorraine, which will later on be sold for the benefit of the fund being raised for devastated France. The exhibition of the paintings will continue from Sunday, Jan. 2, until Saturday, Jan. 14. Walter Monroe Grant and Miss Mollie Higgins Smith have charge of the reception and exhibition.

EMPLOYING PRINTERS DINE.

Receive Report of Wage Arbiters in Book and Job Trade.

Nearly 400 members of the Employing Printers' Association, Inc., at their regular monthly dinner at the Astor Hotel last night, received the report of the Arbitration Committee announcing the wage increases awarded last week to the 19,000 workers in the book and job printing trades. The increases range from $2.50 to $5 a week and are retroactive to Oct. 1 last.

William C. Cornwell of J. S. Bache & Co., stock brokers, 42 Broadway, explained the proposed sales tax. The Legal and Legislative Committee was instructed to study the subject and report at a later meeting. John W. Davis of the Bureau of Attendance of the Board of Education told of the work of continuation schools.

President-elect Harding has been invited to be the principal speaker at the annual dinner in January.

SON, THOUGHT DEAD, BACK.

Harry Dahl Went to War and Was Not Drowned.

Special to The New York Times.

HOLLAND, Mich., Dec. 27.—Mourned for six years, Harry Dahl, whose body was thought to be at the bottom of Lake Superior, appeared at the home of his mother, Mrs. John Dahl, near Jenison Park, on Christmas Day, just in time to occupy a vacant chair placed at the table in his memory.

Dahl, who is a Spanish War veteran, was sailing on a lake vessel when last heard from, and investigation seemed to show he was drowned.

Instead, Dahl joined the Canadian forces, was wounded in the last days of the war, and was held many months in an English hospital. Following his discharge he returned home.

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F. Ray Comstock & Morris Gest Present
The London and Paris Sensation.
DELYSIA In the Musical Show "AFGAR"
"Has taken New York by storm."—Telegram.

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MATINEE TODAY Popular Prices
MATS. EVERY DAY THIS WEEK.
MARY NASH in "Thy Name Is Woman"

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4 Matinees This Week Tom'w, Thur., Fri. & Sat. 4
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THE SKIN GAME
By JOHN GALSWORTHY.

REPUBLIC West 42d St. Evs. 8:20. Mats. Wed. (Pop.) & Sat., 2:20
Daddy Dumplins with MACLYN ARBUCKLE

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"LADIES' NIGHT"

Lexington Th. Evs.8:30. Mts.Wed.& Sat.,2:30 51st St. & Lex. Av. Ph. Plaza 5020
FRITZ LEIBER
in the PLAYS OF SHAKESPEARE.
TONIGHT: JULIUS CAESAR.
Tomorrow Mat., Merchant of Venice; Tom'w Night, Macbeth; Thur., Hamlet; Fri., Julius Caesar; Sat. Mat., Romeo and Juliet; Sat. Eve., Richard III. Pop. Prices, 50c to $1.50.

LYRIC THEA., 42d, W. of B'y. Eves. 8:15. Mats. TOM'W, Thrs., Fri. & Sat., 2:15
Nora Bayes
in a Fantastic Musical Play, "HER FAMILY TREE"

BOOTH 45th., W. of B'way. Evenings 8:30. 5 MATS. THIS WEEK: TODAY Tom'w, Thrs. Fri. & Sat.
WILLIAM FAVERSHAM
in MARK TWAIN'S THE PRINCE AND THE PAUPER

LITTLE THEATRE 44 St., W. of B'wy Mat. TODAY, 2:30.
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FRANCES WHITE in A Musicomedy "JIMMIE"
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FRANK TINNEY in the Musigirl Comedy TICKLE ME

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POP. MAT. TOM'W—50c TO $2
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MADGE KENNEDY
HERSELF in a dual role in "CORNERED"

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THE BAT "KEEPS STANDEES ON TIPS OF THEIR TOES."—World.
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CASINO 39th and B'way. Evenings at 8:20. Matinee Tomorrow at 2:20.
ZIMBALIST'S PLAY WITH MUSIC,
HONEYDEW
4 MATINEES THIS WEEK 4
TOMORROW—THURSDAY, FRIDAY AND SATURDAY.

NORA BAYES THEATRE, 44th, W. of B'y. Evgs. 8:30.
"Screaming Comedy."—Telegram.
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Matinees Tomorrow & Saturday, 2:30.

PLYMOUTH 45th Street, W. of B'way. Mats. Thur., Fri. & Sat.
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By Sacha Guitry, adapted by Granville Barker.

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A CLARE KUMMER Comedy ROLLO'S WILD OAT ROLAND YOUNG

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THURS. at 8:15. TOSCA. Farrar; Gigli, Scotti, Malatesta, Ananian—Moranzoni.
FRI. MAT. at 1. PARSIFAL. Matzenauer, Gordon, Sundelius; Sembach, Whitehill, Rothier, Didur, Gustafson—Bodanzky.
FRI. at 8. MANON LESCAUT. Alda, Telva; Martinelli, De Luca, Malatesta—Papi.
SAT. at 2. Double Bill. AMORE DEI TRE RE. Easton; Gigli, Amato, Mardones, Bada—Moranzoni. CARILLON MAGICO. Galli—Papi.
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THE FARMERS KNOW BETTER.

Ex-Senator JONATHAN BOURNE Jr., still Chairman of the Republican Publicity Association, chooses the date for taking up the tariff bill in the Senate as an occasion to emit some general ideas with which, apparently, he has long been burning. He allows his mind to range freely over several continents and two hemispheres, with the result of finding everywhere new and powerful arguments for a policy of high protection in the United States. Similarly, when he discusses the debts owed to us by Europe he arrives at the same conclusion. This can really startle no one. At whatever door he entered, Senator BOURNE was certain to come out as a high tariff advocate. Indeed, the principal aim of the Republican Publicity Association at present seems to be to further protective tariff legislation. It may nevertheless be worth while to look at Mr. BOURNE's statistics and arguments, particularly as they affect the American farmer.

A major premise with Senator BOURNE is that Europe will not be able to pay her debts to America. By a little manipulation of the figures he makes out the total to be now about $16,000,000,000. That any such sum can be repaid is to his mind incredible. What he really fears, of course, is that there may be an attempt to pay, not in money, but in goods. This last, he declares, must be opposed at all hazards, for it would mean "a flood "destructive to our domestic indus- "tries." There is where his dike of a tariff comes in to save us. We ought, according to him, to turn our eyes away entirely from Europe. It is folly to look for a foreign market there. Europe is, in fact, already "saturated" with American exports, and instead of seeking further orders from across the Atlantic we ought to count, he says, "upon reduced exports." Meanwhile European exports to us should be prevented as much as possible by high tariffs.

Now, however it may be with Republican publicity makers, it is certain that the farmer knows better. One has only to turn to newspapers printed in the farming belt to see that the true relation of foreign markets to domestic agriculture is better understood than ever before. According to The Minneapolis Journal, the American farmer clearly perceives today that "to give him proper profit "requires that he sell to a world "market." It is for this reason that he never can be contented or put off with what The Minneapolis Journal calls "stop-gap tariff legislation" in order to give American farmers exclusive control over their own market. Europe needs American food and American raw materials, and the most direct interest of American agriculture at present is to make sure of economic co-operation with Europe.

Even Senator CAPPER's paper, The Topeka Capital, harps on the same subject. It declares that "farmers "are having an object lesson of the "meaning to them of foreign markets "and foreign trade and the welfare "and prosperity of foreign peoples "such as they have not experienced in "a generation." They see clearly that the great losses with which they are now threatened are due not simply to conditions in this country but to the dislocation of the world market. It is, according to The Capital, a "severe school of experience" through which the farmer is going at present, and it predicts that in all his future thinking he will not lose sight of the fact that the market upon which he must depend is not local but international. In flat contradiction of Senator BOURNE, the mid-Western farmer is convinced that the matter in which he is most vitally interested and always will be is the world market.

Thus, again, we have the somewhat unexpected result of the farmers becoming our leading internationalists. The tendency has been to think of them as men with narrow horizons, scarcely able to lift their eyes from their own acres. But the events of the past six months have certainly taught them a great deal, even if some Republican Senators and ex-Senators are left in untouched ignorance. It has been freely said that the Middle West voted in the last election strongly against political co-operation in Europe. It is clear, however, that it is wide awake to the need of economic co-operation. And as in these days, economics makes up a large part of politics, it may easily be that before long the farmers will be ready to unite with Europe in a society of nations for common objects, so long as that would be one of the sure steps to secure that freer flow of goods in international commerce upon which the prosperity of the farmer depends.

AS PER SCHEDULE.

Senator HARDING ought not to be held responsible for the tone of some of the dispatches from Marion. They picture him as passing lightly from one great topic to another, and settling each in turn. This week, having now got at the bottom truth in all our international affairs, he is to "take up" the question of Federal taxation and of reduced national expenditures. The tacit implication of the Marion correspondents is that after Mr. HARDING has talked with a few Congressional leaders and business men he will have made himself a perfect master of public finance. Then he can clear his desk of that subject, and, like a Police Magistrate rapidly disposing of his calendar, call out: "Next case!"

No one, we are confident, is more clearly aware than Mr. HARDING that his great problems cannot be tossed off in this swift way, seriatim. They are not even so to be separated. They are necessarily linked together. It is not possible to make out a neat schedule by which they may be handled, one after another, in a fixed order. Moreover, after he has got all the information and advice he can obtain, after he has made up his mind what ought to be done, will come the immense labor of carrying out his plans.

Presidents propose; Congress disposes. Mr. HARDING has been long enough in the Senate to understand Congressional ways. Particularly in the matter of taxation reform and cutting down the appropriations is it one thing to lead Congress to the water and another to make it drink. And it is certain that when the next Congress finally enacts its financial measures they will not have followed any nicely docketed plans stuck away in the Marion pigeonholes the last week of 1920.

PRIMARY SORROWS AND JOYS.

Many of us have long looked with fondness upon Kansas as the one "ideal," perfect and recreative Commonwealth; have had for her the feeling expressed by NICHOLAS VACHEL LINDSAY in the memorable lines:

> Then ho! for Kansas, land that restores us
> When houses choke us and great books bore us.

Will it be believed that a moral blight threatens Kansas? Fortunately, Mr. WILLIAM ALLEN WHITE, from his Emporian tower of thought, blows a warning blast. When all the world is "deep in the trough of a wave of reaction," when "free speech and free press are restricted" and "free government is thereby threatened" and "the Kansas farmers now have a real grievance," "the forces against "whom [sic] they complain are re- "stricting the primary, restricting it "by putting in a registration provi- "sion which will cut down the num- "ber of farmers and their wives who "will vote." To state this incredible proposition is to refute it. Registration is necessary in the case of the corrupt urban population, but it was never intended for farmers. The sinister persons who want to make this fatal change in the Kansas primary law should beware of the wrath of the aroused ruralists. Free speech, free press, free governments are subsidiary and incidental. The direct primary, with special exemptions for the benefit of farmers and their wives, is the bedrock of our institutions. The Kansas reactionaries will be foiled in their fell design.

In California, too, the freedom of the freest primary in the world is attacked by malignants. The existing liberal election law permits, as The San Francisco Chronicle tells us, "a candi- "date to run for office as Republican, "Democrat, Socialist and Anarchist "on the same day." Could there be a more comprehensive and open-armed primary statute? Yet the next Legislature is expected to narrow this broad law. Will the reformed and the reforming sons of the Golden West allow that act of primary freedom to be mutilated? At this very moment Senator HIRAM JOHNSON, the favorite child of the Presidential primary, the great rejected of the National Convention, is pondering a measure for a national Presidential primary and the excision of that evil growth, the Convention. Is this a time for Californians to tamper with their home institutions?

Representative SCHALL of the Tenth Minnesota District has rashly ventured to anticipate the master in the other chamber. He has introduced a resolution for a constitutional amendment giving the Congress power to regulate and control the nomination of candidates for President and Vice President. He seems to feel that the extreme infrequency of constitutional amendments makes countless thousands mourn. Mr. SCHALL is also the father of a bill to establish a Federal Election Commission. A national primary, supervised by this body, will be held in all the States on the same day to name candidates for President, Vice President, Senators and Representatives in Congress. One is breathless with adoration of the gigantic strides of primary reform. Of Mr. SCHALL's bill one must be content to say, in the ritual language of the guide books about certain hotels, that it is "expensive but good."

BUSINESS BY LAW.

The dilemma of the leading insurance companies of New York respecting the compulsory sale of their stocks is an example of the difficulty of regulating business by law. That the law directing the sales is a failure is undeniable when it is executed as regards only one-fourth after fourteen years. That the time limit has been twice extended shows that two Legislatures perceive the original error. The situation calls for further indulgence in a business which concerns interests far wider than those of the insurance companies. At no time has it been possible to comply with the law without sacrificing the securities whose sale was ordered, and the situation in that respect was never worse than now.

There could not be a worse method of selling $115,342,602 worth of stocks than advertising that they must be sold by a certain date. The purchase was lawful when made. It was unwise chiefly because it was not possible to foresee that the policy of regulating the railways and utilities would be carried to such bitter lengths. Many of the acts formerly forbidden to the railways are cornerstones of the new railway policy. If pooling, combining and "charging what the traffic will bear" were immoral, they no more should be done with the aid of the law than against the law. But the insurance companies are now under the necessity of seeking relief from laws asserted to be for their benefit, although the policy of the law regarding railway investments has been reversed.

If the New York Legislature had seen fit to declare a policy for future insurance investment business, there would have been less ground for questioning its wisdom, but the compulsory liquidation of past lawful business is ground upon which it is highly unsafe to venture. Yet there are proposals that the insurance companies, savings banks and other financial institutions shall enlarge their investments for the relief of the housing situation, at the very moment when the laws are making such investments hazardous. There is scant presumption of superior wisdom on the part of our lawmakers when their own record of error is studied.

THE FUTURE OF THE TRUCK.

Is it possible that the motor truck will prove a decisive factor in counteracting the modern tendency to overconcentration—overconcentration of population in cities and on farms in the neighborhood of the railways? Writing in the current Collier's, JESSE C. VINCENT is confessedly astride of his hobby, but the data he adduces are none the less impressive.

The short haul has for decades been the bugbear of the railways, which have done their best to discourage it. On the lines centring in Boston, for example, the tariff on distances of five miles amounts to $3.90 a ton and steadily diminishes until at 200 miles it is 14 cents, and at 300 miles only 9 cents. This is the great opportunity of motor transportation—an opportunity which the railways themselves welcome. For the one-and-one-half-ton truck the cost per ton-mile is 16 cents; for the two-ton truck it is 13 cents, and the reduction continues steadily to 7½ cents for the six-ton truck. The trucking cost for the first five miles thus ranges from 80 cents down to 37½ cents, as against $3.90 by rail. The radius at which the trucks can compete with the railways ranges from 180 miles for the one-and-one-half-ton truck up to 300 miles for the six-ton truck. In this calculation are included all charges for labor and depreciation. Figures compiled by the Post Office Department for service about Washington show savings as great or greater. In England Sir THOMAS LIPTON lately testified before a Parliamentary committee that, even at the present cost of gasoline, which there exceeds $1 a gallon, he can run trucks profitably for hauls up to 200 miles.

Many farming districts of great fertility lie at considerable distances from the railways and are so restricted in area that they could not be profitably served by a branch line. The motor truck enables them to compete favorably with lands that lie on the main routes. It enables them to bring supplies from the station, and at a pinch it may even be used to draw gang plows. In the neighborhood of cities it speeds and facilitates the distribution of perishable farm products, the annual waste of which, according to calculations of the Department of Agriculture, is over two billion dollars. Its availability for the dispersal of surplus population to the outlying regions is less obvious. Doubtless a suburban district could use trucks for community buying in the city; but for the commuting worker train service would probably be necessary.

The key to the future of the motor truck lies in the problem of roads. There are only 700,000 such vehicles at present in use in the entire United States; but any dweller upon any one of our many State roads will with difficulty be convinced that they do not all run past his gate. So great is the damage to the roadbed that many States have passed or are passing laws to restrict narrowly the size of trucks. Not so long ago there were laws placing impossible restrictions upon the speed of automobiles. The eventual solution was found in compromise, and that doubtless will be the case with the truck. It seems pretty clearly indicated, however, that we should begin without delay to build deeper and solider roadbeds.

HONOR IN FIUME.

The Italian army is closing what dispatches call "an iron ring" about Fiume; and D'ANNUNZIO's legionaries, who have got used to a rubber ring, find the substitute rather uncomfortable. ODENIGO, his representative in Rome, is very gloomy. "All is lost," he says, "unfortunately even honor. "It appears that we must abandon "even the last hope of being Italian." This Fiume conception of honor is curiously like that manifested in Germany during the war. Honor is not something internal and personal; it is like an overcoat; it can be put on or taken off by external agency. It is honorable to win, but not to be defeated.

However, even if honor is lost something can be saved. ODENIGO declares that "Captain D'ANNUNZIO, with 4,500 "men, cannot resist an attack by "20,000." Some eminent soldiers of past history would have thought that exactly such resistance would bring honor to their names; but D'ANNUNZIO is evidently not inclined to let any of his friends ask, "Who hath it?" and be answered with a melancholy "He that died o' Wednesday." We hear no more of the hero who was determined to blow Fiume in the air and die in the ruins. Honor was lost some time ago in this transaction, but there is still a chance to save the innocent inhabitants of Fiume.

THE REAL LURE OF THE CITY.

Dr. CRAFTS, described by an admirer as "the man who has charge of the morals of the country," has discovered a new explanation for the attraction of New York. It is the Puritan Sunday. "Why have the majority of "New York residents come here from "abroad," he asks, "if American "ways have not worked better than "Continental ways?" This is followed by an appeal for study of the comparative history of America and that other iniquitous and godless Continent, "lest New York first and then America be Europeanized."

It is a pleasure to contemplate the flood of immigrants pouring from depraved Europe into well-prohibited New York, like pilgrims fleeing the City of Destruction; but unfortunately Dr. CRAFTS gives us some facts about New York life which suggest another explanation. He dwells on the movie menace. Its worst feature, he tells us, is "the seduction of hundreds of "thoughtless girls every day in New "York, who in turn prey upon thou- "sands of men." These are alarming figures. The New Yorker who goes down to the picture theatre in the evening may well think of the Scriptural warning: "A thousand shall fall at "thy side, and ten thousand at thy "right hand." With girls falling by hundreds and men by thousands every day, the last pure New Yorker may be expected to fall about Jan. 1, 1928.

COMPETENT DIPLOMATS AND USEFUL CONSULS.

It has been said that if the United States had been represented in Europe by efficient diplomatic officers in the year or two before the great war the Government at Washington would have been in a position to join Great Britain in seeking to avert a conflict, or to prepare the country for any part it might have to play. It may now be said that if the Diplomatic and Consular Services are not reorganized and better paid, the United States will be distanced by Great Britain in the competition for foreign markets, and that ultimately Germany will pick up most of the trade that she has lost in parts of the world where the United States now has a golden opportunity. The success of the American merchant marine will measurably depend upon improvement of the Consular Service; and unless the United States is kept well informed by its diplomatic representatives the Government may find itself at a disadvantage in maintaining American interests in Asia and even in the Western Hemisphere. It was a warning which Secretary COLBY uttered when he said the other day that diplomacy "must devote greater "attention to far-reaching economic "issues."

Senator HARDING received so tremendous a popular vote that he will not be obliged to liquidate debts by distributing Ambassadorships or posts in the Diplomatic and Consular Services. Congress must heed him if he recommends reorganization and salaries commensurate with responsibility. It is of good omen that two former Republican Secretaries of State, Mr. ROOT and Mr. KNOX, who were sagacious and active in raising the Diplomatic Service to a higher plane of usefulness and dignity, will be among President HARDING's most trusted advisers. Reorganization of the Diplomatic Service, of course, includes the State Department. The Secretary's assistants are underpaid and it is difficult to attract competent men who will do the work. It must be understood that the Secretary of State has a large staff of which much technical skill is expected.

Every man who takes a post in or under the State Department should have an opportunity to rise and to prove his qualifications for foreign service. From Secretary of Legation the road should be open to the highest distinction in the service. It is to President WILSON's credit that there have recently been many promotions of accomplished men who, so to speak, have won their spurs as diplomats. The service should always offer a career to the deserving; never should it be degraded by sordid political appointments. Furthermore, it should be dignified by providing legations with permanent offices and residences owned by the Government. The cost to the United States would be a very profitable investment in the end. So poorly paid is the Consular Service that only loyalty accounts for an able man remaining in it. If the scale of compensation, which has not been advanced since 1906, is not increased, our foreign trade is bound to suffer.

BOLSHEVIST PEASANTS.

In the congress of the French Socialist Party at Tours LENIN seems likely to win a decisive victory; but it will have much the same result as the defeats in the other Socialist conventions of Western Europe. Whoever wins the struggle over the acceptance of the twenty-one demands of the Third International, the party is split. In other countries the party organization has for the most part remained in the hands of opponents of the Moscow extremists; in France it will probably be controlled by their friends. In either case, the result is the setting off of an uncompromising group which accepts the rule of the Third International against not only the rest of the Socialist Party but most of the floating vote which might attach itself to the Socialists in periods of discontent.

The surprising thing about the French congress, however, is the fact that the pro-Moscow majority was rolled up chiefly by the delegates of the Socialist peasants. The twenty-one demands present a rather formidable program. They call for excommunication of all moderates; for the rejection of "parliamentarism" and all other compromises; and for revolution—a real blood-and-fire revolution—whenever opportunity offers. Moreover, they insist on the subjection of the Communist Socialists of all other countries to the orders of the Third International. Some of the delegates from Moscow to the German Socialist congress did indeed intimate that allowances might be made in the application of this formula for differences in local conditions; but unconditional acceptance means that those who accept must be ready to rise when Moscow gives the word.

French peasant Socialists are apparently willing to subscribe to this program. That is rather curious, for the peasants of Russia, who have seen Bolshevism close at hand, do not seem to have manifested any enthusiasm for it. They will not fight against it, unless it sends troops from the cities to requisition grain; but they will not fight for it. They have their land, in contradiction of all Communist principle, because the Bolsheviki are unable to take it away from them. The French peasants have their land as a matter of right; if Communism were to be taken seriously, they would lose it.

An explanation suggested in Paris is that this adherence to the Third International merely represents the protest of Socialist peasants against further support by the French Government of wars against Russia. They show their feelings in the strongest way by announcing that hereafter they are outposts of Moscow in a foreign land. But no one need be alarmed over the safety of France. Real Socialist peasants are about as scarce in France as Bolshevist peasants in Russia; and the city workers seem to have divided more or less evenly between the extremists and the moderate groups of LONGUET and RENAUDEL.

TOPICS OF THE TIMES.

A Murder Out of the Common.

A favorite explanation of such men as MONK EASTMAN, especially among sociologists of the sort that are always glad to transfer moral responsibility from the individual to the community, is that they are men of unusual abilities and energies for the legitimate use of which no opportunity has been provided. That is an explanation that often explains, after a fashion, but it is much weakened by the fact that not a few men of like heredity and early environment have used equal abilities and energies in a wholly different way.

That EASTMAN was not ordinary or mediocre, that he had the power of leading and commanding men, was shown all through his career as a gangster. He made himself known through a far wider circle than did any other gang leader of his time, and it is noticeable, as bearing on the amount and kind of intelligence he possessed, that, though often arrested and sometimes convicted and sent to prison, it was always for offenses slight in comparison with those with which common report and confident police assumption connected him neither remotely nor indirectly. Yet he could not have been regarded as treacherous by his associates, else would he have met long since the fate that finally overtook him.

His portraits present what one would suppose to have been a most unattractive personality, but there must have been something about him that commanded respect, if not affection, from the people with whom he associated.

War Gave Him a New Start in Life.

With the war there came a chance for the legitimate employment of EASTMAN's abilities and energies—the chance, according to the sociologists, of which peace had deprived him. To his credit, be it said, he saw the chance and seized it promptly. He did not wait for conscription, but enlisted. Soon sent to France, he proved himself, if not exactly a model soldier, at any rate one good enough to win the attention and the approval of his officers. Possibly some of this approval was relative rather than absolute, his conduct forming with his gangster's record a contrast so surprising that it excited more interest than equally good conduct in a man with a better past. However that may have been, he returned to New York, something of a hero, though undecorated, and he had for reward the restoration of civic rights which his crimes had forfeited. He announced, not too loudly nor as if claiming because of reformation special favors and assistance, that henceforth he would live honestly. Apparently he made some efforts to do so, and according to some of his acquaintances the efforts were not unsuccessful. As a business man, however, such superiorities as were credited to him did not bring much prosperity, and the police, after a while, developed doubts as to the reality or the permanence of his change.

These doubts the circumstances of EASTMAN's death seem to confirm. To be on the street at 4 o'clock in the morning is not in itself proof of evil courses, but it is easily justified or plausibly explained only by the following of a few trades and professions, to none of which did he belong. As he was not robbed he cannot be numbered among the victims of the "crime wave," though it is more than probable that those who killed him are lawbreakers of one kind or another.

The supposition that the war had "redeemed" this veteran gangster and gunman is not strengthened by his taking off. On the other hand, however, it cannot be said that under the influences of war he deteriorated.

Why Was He So Much Impressed?

In a Christmas message to the prisoners in the jails of Washington the Attorney General said that in his own younger days he had been much impressed and influenced by statements made in his hearing by each of two teachers. The first said, "Life is what you make it, and never a thing of chance." The other came from a newly installed college President. When he first confronted his students he said to them, "From this day all rules of discipline are abolished. Every man knows what is right and what is wrong, and each of you will be expected to follow what you know to be right."

It would be interesting to hear just what the objects of Mr. PALMER's amiable solicitude made of outgivings which he had so long remembered and so highly valued. Their special helpfulness is not very obvious, and it would be possible to question the accuracy of the first, the wisdom of the second.

From some points of view, of course, there is no such thing as chance, but from others chance does exist for all practical purposes and it does play a considerable part in every life. As for the abolition of all disciplinary rules, the college President hardly could have meant exactly what he said, and in the very moment of announcing that abolition he laid down what might have been, had he chosen to say so, the sternest of such rules. His expectation must have been understood by his hearers as involving a threat of serious action if they did not do what they—and he—considered right.

Workingmen Demanding Prohibition.

Up in this part of the world "labor" has not been particularly enthusiastic in its commendation of prohibition; it has been, on the contrary, disposed to be resentful and antagonistic, so far as it has expressed itself at all through its chosen spokesmen. This makes it hard to understand why the workmen of Chile, instead of opposing a diminution of their present large liberties in the use of intoxicants, are demanding the banishment of all strong waters from the country and are refusing to have any part in their transportation or distribution.

To make this phenomenon the more puzzling, Chile counts among the countries called "Latin," a few of its inhabitants being real Spaniards so far as blood goes and a greater number of them having at least a little of that blood in their veins.

And if the Chilean workers are so appalled—as well they may be—by the huge amount of their annual expenditure for drink, why don't they just stop and turn to clear, sparkling water for the cheaper and equally effective quenching of their thirsts? To do that they need not wait for legislation.

WINDOWS.

When all the doors are closed, I find
That windows still are very kind.
When trees are talking to the rain,
I sit beside the window pane,
And, through the cool and smeary glass,
I see the rainy people pass.

When doors are tight with lock and key,
My windows still are kind to me;
They let me look upon the sky,
Where caravans of clouds go by,
And on the green hills raised afar,
Where little, twinkling flowers are.

One window opens to a tree,
Where it can bend and talk to me;
Another on the road to town,
Where I can see the carts go down
With loads of yellow straw a-stack,
And empty carts come bumping back.

The winds are friendly, and they blow
Their silver whistles as they go,
And always call me, as they pass,
By tapping on the window glass,
And, when I run, I see them there,
Pulling the bushes by their hair.

I like the window in my room
At twilight in the purple gloom,
For my blue curtains always are
Draped 'round a single, silver star;
And, when the moon is very thin,
I sometimes see her looking in.

My mother says that when I die
My soul will live beyond the sky,
Where I may have a window through
To see what people down here do,
And I shall sit and watch and wait
To see God coming in the gate.

HUBERT KELLEY.

Y. M. C. A. IN ITALY.

The Pope's Criticism Regarded as Unfair to the Organization.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

In your paper of Friday I noted the warning issued to the Catholic Bishops by the Pope against the work of the Y. M. C. A.

During the great war the Y. M. C. A. was asked by the Italian Government and by the King of Italy personally to do war work in Italy on the same plan as that done in France. For this purpose fifty men were needed, and preferably those who could speak both Italian and English.

For this great work a number of Italian-American Protestant clergymen applied, but the Y. M. C. A. authorities refused to take them, since it might appear in Italy that the Protestants were trying to do "religious work," and several Roman Catholics were employed to carry on the great relief work in Italy.

A few months ago I was speaking with Captain Bentolot, Chief Chaplain of the Waldensian (Protestant) Church of Italy. He told me that the Y. M. C. A. in Italy was in the hands of Roman Catholics and that great favor was shown to that Church rather than to the Protestants. Captain Ugo Galli of the Italian Army M. C., who is here now, has told me that the "Case del Soldato" Y. M. C. A. huts were always inhabited by the Catholic clergy, and never in his knowledge of the five years of war does he recollect of any cases of religious discussion or "Protestant propaganda."

In view of these facts, the Pope's attitude must be considered uncalled for and demonstrates the selfishness of his system. Italy of today is not the Italy of the Popes. There is hardly a town in Italy where there is not at least one Protestant church.

The Italians are grateful for the work of the Y. M. C. A., and in spite of the dictum of the Pope they will for all ages to come remember the kind altruistic work of that great institution.

CHARLES FAMA, M. D.

Bronx, Dec. 24, 1920.

Americans and Patents of Royalty.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

I have been under some embarrassment with a certain circle of my friends, one of whose ethnical inheritances is an insistence on logic (with the gift appertaining). These friends are the American Greeks—for so they wish to call themselves. In effect, they ask me why a chief "aid and comfort" in the matter of the proposed restoration of Constantine to the throne of Greece should have been furnished by the unlimited expenditure of money by a former American citizen for the purpose of propaganda. These American Greeks have not hesitated in their recent Venizelist gatherings to express their exact minds as to the inconsistency of the former Mrs. Leeds (now the wife of Prince Christopher of Greece) in that, being born and bred in a great democracy, she should so easily metamorphose into an opponent of that idea, and become a special agent for the restoration of royalty deposed for its hostility to the principles for which her native country, with its Entente allies, were so recently fighting.

These transplanted Hellenes, many of them now American citizens, ask with (I think) a pardonable irony if this case of "Mrs. Leeds" may not be a sort of reversion to ancient type in certain Americans—an atavistic adoration of the "purple"—a longing for that which their own country cannot give them in its abrogation of all descended rank and titles whatsoever! I cannot answer these friends of mine, and I have looked in vain for society's condemnation, or even slightest characterization, of the—may one call it so?—"carrying on" of Mrs. Leeds—perhaps the impending Princess Christopher, for, until the "restoration" takes place, the latter refulgent title may be considered void.

I should like to hear the opinion on this head of those who are wont to contribute to these columns, by the courtesy of the editor. Let some one gifted to do it explain to these honest American Greeks why no (apparent) American indignation has been excited by such un-American behavior as the above-cited instance. Or, must we own to an invincible charm, for some of us, in the patents of royalty?

EDITH M. THOMAS.

New York, December, 1920.

Predatory Automobiles.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

I read your comments on the "Blue Laws," and I want to say, that farmers, although not puritanical, will vote for them. I have brought up the subject with farmers in the neighborhood and their comment is about the same in every case, and is: "Well, of course, it would be an outrage to enact such laws, but if it will keep the thieving automobilists from making raids on our orchards and gardens I don't know but I would vote for it."

On Sundays the farmers are afraid to leave their places lest the predatory automobilists clean them out. They rob orchards and make raids on vegetable gardens and have been known to go into potato fields and dig up the spuds. At this season of the year they cut down small evergreens and carry them off for Christmas trees, break the branches off larger ones for decoration. They take anything they see and can use.

One of these raiders, a business man in New York, was caught and had to pay heavily to escape prosecution. No doubt today he is indignant at the hold-up men who endanger his pocket and his life. There is only the difference of a pistol between the two.

A FARMER.

Bedford Village, Dec. 22, 1920.

The Demonstration Garden.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

I have heard a rumor that the Demonstration Garden in Bryant Park, maintained by the Park Department, is to be demolished because of the contemplated extension of the so-called "Steinway Branch" of the Interborough subway.

Because of my interest in such things I visit there frequently and do not know of anything in New York that attracts so much serious attention, and believe that none of the activities of the Park Department exceeds the Demonstration Garden in benefit to the public. This is particularly true now, in view of the diminishing number of those who devote themselves wholly or in part to agricultural pursuits in comparison to the rapidly growing population.

I hope the Park Department will continue this work elsewhere if this rumor is true, and I suggest the co-operation of your readers and your valued columns in fostering this most worthy movement.

GEORGE J. WISE.

New York, Dec. 24, 1920.

The Coast Guard.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

Permit me, on behalf of an organization whose membership is vitally interested in the operations of the United States Coast Guard, to thank you for the editorial article in last Sunday's TIMES commenting on the work of that service. As an officer of the U. S. S. Tampa, C. G., Post of the American Legion, I should, indeed, be derelict in my duties were I to pass over the article without expressing our deep appreciation of the signal honor you have rendered the service.

For some reason or other the general public has little knowledge of America's first navy, and it is to be hoped that some time in the comparatively near future the Coast Guard will receive the recognition it truly deserves. Since 1790 the service has acquitted itself with glory, and its motto "Semper Paratus," surely is no misnomer.

DONALD L. PRATT.

Brooklyn, Dec. 24, 1920.

SUNDAY OBSERVANCE.

Reformers Are Held Up as the "True Lovers of Liberty."

To the Editor of The New York Times:

Your article in THE TIMES on "Sunday Observance" I read with much interest and a good deal of surprise, due to what I consider misleading statements therein contained.

In the first place you say that these "reformers are seeking to interfere with or prescribe the Sunday habits of the American people," when as a matter of fact they are doing nothing of the kind, but are merely endeavoring to get the American people to listen to the voice of God and to obey His laws. The criminal might with equal reason urge as an excuse for the commissions of his criminal acts that law-abiding citizens who sought to restrain him were "seeking to interfere with or prescribe" for him the habits of his life, when in reality they are only trying to make him conform to the laws of the State in which he lives. In like manner these "reformers" insist that the laws on our statute books should be enforced and that this nation should proceed to enact such laws as should conform to the supreme law of God, in whom we as a nation profess to put our trust, as evidenced by the inscription on our coins, "In God We Trust." They want to make that solemn declaration more than an empty, meaningless phrase.

Again you say that by the language of the State statutes on this subject labors of necessity and general public accommodation are excepted, while in the next sentence you speak of perishable goods and milk being under the ban of these "reformers." Now, you must or should know perfectly well that all works of necessity are permitted on Sunday and that these so-called "reformers" do not wish to interfere with such for the very good reason that the laws of God and man permit works of "necessity and mercy" to be performed on Sunday, or as I prefer to call it, on the Sabbath day, which literally means a day of rest.

"The trouble with these purists," you say, "is that they want to make everybody conform to their ideas of Sunday observance. They never think of the millions of people, the majority who have to work five and a half or six days a week." If instead of the word "purists" we substitute the word "infidels" (I use the word advisedly and deliberately), then we have a true statement, for as a matter of fact it is these infidels who are trying to make everybody conform to their superior (?) superman ideas of how the Sabbath day should be observed. They are so self-centred and so supremely selfish that they insist upon a day of rest for themselves, "but not for the other fellow," who, perforce, must always stand at attention, subject to their "beck and call," to minister to their desires. Take, as an example, the poor caddy on the golf links, who does not know what a Sabbath day's rest means, the moving picture attendants, the trolley car conductors, &c.

These reformers, I will have you to know, are the true lovers of liberty. They insist that every man, be he poor or rich, have as his right one day in seven to call his own and that these "infidels" shall not interfere with his liberty, which is God-given.

ALEXANDER MARTIN.

Philadelphia, Dec. 2, 1920.

Germans and the President.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

By chance I glanced today at the editorial page of the New Yorker Staats-Zeitung, Saturday's edition, to refresh an already forgotten vocabulary, but I found the words still as familiar as before the war and the German mind unaltered and unruffled in the least.

The editorial in question criticises the reason why a Nobel prize should be given to President Wilson. It asserts, with the same old dogmatism, that the President does not deserve it, for "he failed to keep us out of the war."

Germans are ungrateful. They ought to get together and build a statue to Woodrow Wilson in Unter den Linden as a small token of appreciation for all that he has done for them: for his forbearance when the whole country was clamoring for vengeance; for declaring war, not against Germany, but against the military clan which ruled her; for obtaining a treaty, founded upon fourteen principles of justice, which has saved Germany from the same crushing conditions to which she submitted France in 1870; for contributing morally, through his vigorous messages, to the preparation of the German people for a more democratic Government, and by directing, as Commander-in-Chief of the American Army and Navy, operations which had great bearing on the overthrow of the odious Kaiser and his brutal adherents—this last service done to the Germans by the United States without charging one cent.

It has been lucky for Germany that the United States was led by an idealist during the last war and not by a positivist a la Roosevelt, who might have had a colossal American bill for her to foot.

R. MUNOZ TEBAR.

New York, Dec. 12, 1920.

On the Old Bowery.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

We were very much interested in reading the excellent article which appeared in your paper yesterday, written by Mr. Ernest Harvier, regarding "Things to Be Seen on the Old Bowery." But might we be permitted to correct one statement which appeared in that article concerning our bank? The article reads: "The Bowery Savings Bank at Grand Street (soon to move to East Forty-second Street) has 145,000 depositors," &c.

The fact is, if you will refer to the articles which appeared in your own paper of Nov. 12 last, you will observe that we have contracted to buy a piece of property in Forty-second Street, opposite the Grand Central Terminal, to build a branch bank, and not for the purpose of moving our own bank uptown. We have no intention of leaving the Bowery, but on the contrary expect that our business will continue to grow in this locality, even though an uptown branch is established.

HENRY A. SCHENCK,
President the Bowery Savings Bank.

New York, Dec. 6, 1920.

A Counterproposal.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

I read in your paper this morning of Mr. George Smith's proposal, that farmers should have two wives, in order to solve the hired help problem on the farms. The idea sounds very good from Mr. Smith's point of view. It would be interesting to know, though, how many women would be willing to marry farmers under such conditions.

Now, from a woman's point of view, I should like to make a suggestion. If farmers are allowed to have two wives, why not allow us townswomen to have two husbands? With the present high cost of living the income of one man, unless he is a millionaire, is not sufficient to support one woman in real comfort, and as for a family, well, that is out of the question!

A TOWNSWOMAN.

New York, Dec. 24, 1920.

Senator Harding for the League.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

I have just read carefully your published outline of Senator Harding's Association of Nations.

Excepting his implied insult to the framers of the League of Nations, contained in the first paragraph, I have never seen a fuller endorsement of the League.

E. C. HARRISON.

Staunton, Va., Dec. 23, 1920.

100 NEEDIEST CASES STILL UNRELIEVED

Fund of $83,944.36 So Far Received Is $25,901.36 Short of Sum Required.

SECOND 100 FACE MISERY

Failure to Contribute Now May Part Mothers from Children and Destroy Hope.

EVERY PENNY WISELY USED

Orphans Need Medical Attention to Fit Them for Adoption—Belated Gifts Welcome.

The Neediest Cases received $4,718.37 yesterday, making a total of $83,944.86 since the appeal was printed. The response to the appeal in 1919 was $103,967.14.

The first hundred cases, 100 additional cases and still others were provided for by last year's contributions. The appeals of each of the four preceding years resulted in complete provision for 200 or more families.

This year's total of $83,944.86 is $25,901.36 short of the amount required for the Hundred Neediest Cases and 100 additional, if families are to be saved and individuals helped on the same scale as in preceding years. The total required for the 200 cases is $109,846.20.

Contributions for the Neediest Cases come from readers who feel the impulse to give and act on the impulse. There is no personal solicitation or other money-raising device. The appeal to the public heart and conscience is made solely through the medium of the printed page. It is necessary to be persistent in order to prevent contributions from being lost somewhere between the impulse and the act.

Failure to Give Is Sorely Felt.

Every contribution so lost means the continuation of unhappiness for some poor mothers and children or means that some impending calamity will fall on them instead of being turned aside. The contributions that are made mean that some children will continue to experience the ever-present love and care of a mother, the joy of being with their brothers and sisters and everything else that makes up family life. The contributions that might have come but failed through forgetfulness or indifference leave some families to be wrecked and much misery which might have been prevented.

A contribution today will give as much happiness and do as much good as it would have done before Christmas. Any day that a sad, frightened family escapes disaster and has decent provision assured it is Christmas to them, whether on the 25th of December or on the 28th.

Each family receives care and relief for a whole year. The Christmas gift is the assurance of a year's care and relief and freedom from fear that the family is to be wiped out and its individuals scattered among institutions. That is a fine gift on Christmas or on any other day of the year.

During the year many of the families become self-supporting, as the mother regains her health through rest and care and the confidence that she is not to lose her little ones; as the health of a sick father is restored, or as a child attains the age or receives a training which enables him or her to earn wages for the others.

Some of the families, because the children are numerous and young, need more than a year in which to get a new start. At the end of the year they will receive further relief from the societies. Contributors to the Hundred Neediest Cases have often in the past taken a personal interest in such families, giving additional aid from time to time and helping the children to get a foothold when the time came.

A large majority of the families have become self-supporting again. Many of them are among the happiest and most devoted families of New York. The comparatively small amounts of money contributed which held such families together were a highly profitable investment for the community. By keeping alive the family spirit, ambition and courage have been fostered, making the days of dependence brief.

Aid Keeps Family Together.

Had it been otherwise with such families, lack of relief often would have meant that the mother would have been sent to a hospital with her health broken in the desperate struggle, while her children would have gone to various institutions. The future for them would have been very different. Even supposing that she lived, the mother might never have succeeded in supporting her children and, seeing little of her, they would have grown to regard her as a stranger. Brothers and sisters in seperate institutions may be lucky to see each other two or three times a year, and it is not unusual if the family tie soon loses its hold.

The net result is that a few contributions mean permanent happiness for such a family. The lack of such contributions, in addition to the immediate anguish of parting, means that all through the future the mother will have fresh cause to mourn her children who are lost to her, although they are living. The children will go through life without feeling the constant, unfailing currents of sympathy and love which make family life.

Contributions to the Neediest Cases often are of life-long benefit. The appeal is planned with the intention that each contribution shall have permanent good results. It is not intended in any case that a family should be made happy for a few months, only to be abandoned at the end of that time. Gifts are not used to confer temporary good cheer at the expense of still greater misery at some future time. Some of the cases are those of older people, who cannot help to be self-supporting again. Money is asked to make their old days easier. The appeal for them means a year's aid only, but many have good luck and win friends to give them further aid.

Few of the families once helped to independence have been thrown back on charity again. The same family has never been appealed for twice during the years in which the Neediest Cases have been printed. On the contrary, many of those who were helped in earlier years have become regular contributors to the Hundred Neediest Cases. A substantial annual contributor for the past four years is a young man whose family was aided by the appeal in 1912. Women and girls helped in earlier years have become visitors and friends of families undergoing the greatest sorrows and misfortunes today.

Might Pass By the Needy.

In a small community, aid which is haphazard may be sufficient, because the troubles of a family become widely known and spontaneous charitable impulses have free play among a thinly scattered population. The great brick warehouses of population in New York are hiding places in which the individual families and their misfortunes are pretty well swallowed up and lost. Many do not even know the tenants below and above and around them. They are entirely cut off from that contact which is necessary before even the most charitable people see their opportunity. Their miseries are slow in being found out. Their neighbors, even if acquainted with them and charitably disposed, are usually poor and anxious people themselves.

Under these circumstances relief must be provided in such a way that it is regular, dependable and wisely spent. This is the way that the contributions for the Hundred Neediest Cases are used.

Every cent of each contribution goes to buy the food, medicine, shelter, heat and other necessaries of life for the families which, of all the 6,000,000 people of New York, are most in need of those things. It provides them month in and month out, and during this time plans are made for the family's future. The total effect is not only to avert great wretchedness and suffering by the individuals concerned, but to help the community by putting an end to just that much poverty.

In cases where an appeal is made for money for orphan children, the need for aid seldom lasts through the year. Many of the children are adopted. Others win steadfast friends who put them in school. So far this year, twenty-eight people have made applications for the adoption of orphan children placed by the State Charities Aid Association among the Hundred Neediest Cases. Some of the twenty-eight wish to adopt more than one child.

One man, a well-known philanthropist, has given notice that he plans to adopt six children. Every day families come to the offices of the State Charities Aid Association and meet children who can be placed in families. Some of them take children home and keep them under observation a day or two. It is serious business, picking a son or daughter. Some are delighted with the first child that chance throws in their way. Others study one after another and cannot come to a decision. One boy of the Neediest Cases—a boy that had been considered just right in every particular—was rejected yesterday, for instance, on the ground that he was "too ingratiating." The poor five-year-old was apparently too anxious to make a hit and capture a place in a good family.

Some Need Medical Treatment.

Some of the children, through long neglect, by their parents or guardians, are suffering from maladies which will require months or years of care in hospitals or sanitariums before it is a good thing to let them be adopted. The appeal for the Neediest Cases has introduced all the children well enough to go into private homes to families eager to take a promising child and most of them will probably be with foster parents before the end of 1921.

The Charity Organization Society gave the following typical instances yesterday of the constructive work done by contributions for the Neediest Cases:

"Several years ago the story of the R. family was told in THE TIMES. At that time the mother and father were both very ill with tuberculosis and there was no means of support for the five children. Later, Mr. and Mrs. R. both died, and if it had not been for the help which the C. O. S., backed by THE TIMES readers, was able to give, the children would all have been sent to institutions. The society's worker, however, found an aunt who has ever since cared for the two youngest children. The oldest daughter married and the other two boys live with her. Both of them have splendid positions. The youngest child has a beautiful voice and the family's most cherished possession is a picture of him among some children grouped about Geraldine Farrar in a children's chorus in the opera.

"Tony's ambition had always been to run a fruit and vegetable store such as his father had owned before his death. But Tony was too young to work. Only by the help of THE TIMES readers and the guidance and sympathy of the C. O. S. worker was it possible for his mother to provide for him and his younger brothers and sisters. But after a few years Tony went to work. Every cent that could be spared from the needs of the household he saved carefully and in a year's time he had enough to make the first payment on a small fruit store in Brooklyn. Now Tony is the proud proprietor of a flourishing business and his mother's pride in her stalwart son can hardly be restrained.

One of the contributions which arrived on Christmas was sent from Havana, Cuba, by Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Herczel, who wrote:

"We are enclosing herewith $10 to apply to the fund for the Hundred Neediest families of New York. Hope this will help to bring a little Christmas cheer and that same will reach you in due time."

Feeling that thrift should not begin with retrenchments in charitable gifts, many contributors have made sacrifices to have money for the Neediest Cases. Others, who admitted that they were cold to the appeal at first and determined not to respond to it, could not keep their better side in check and made contributions though they felt the pinch. Several who gave contributions quickly after the first appeal have felt impatient at the slowness with which the total rose from day to day and have sent new gifts to help it along.

Child's Gifts Inspire Others.

"Although I have already given," wrote "G. W. H." of Staunton, Va., "I add the enclosed for any case that is neediest of all. I am touched by little Nancy's letter, which says, 'I live in the country and could send a bag of apples or a bushel of carrots, as The Year gos on.' But now she sends her $2, candy, a horn, &c. Will you not continue the appeal just a little longer than you have intended doing, for as time 'gos on' it seems as if we must see the reward of little Nancy's faith and courage, and as if hearts and purses must open more and more."

The owner of "The Sunnybank Collies" also sent an additional contribution. "A. M. T." wrote as follows in sending another contribution to the Association for Improving the Condition of the Poor:

"Although I had supposed I had reached my limit in sending a small sum toward help for The Neediest a day or two ago, I cannot resist the appeals made in this morning's TIMES, and I am sending another small check to be used for Case 99 or 37. At this season it is heart-breaking to read of such distress and so little coming in."

Several contributions have arrived from California after each appeal in the last several years. A gift of $10 came yesterday from Mrs. John Elliot Shaw of Santa Barbara, Cal., who wrote:

"With a little invalid daughter to support, my heart goes out to those mothers who are denied the joy of giving to their children this Christmas. I wish it were possible to give to all."

The following are from letters of other contributors:

Emily H. Spafford—"I enclose $15 for some needy case not already helped. It represents three tickets I did not buy to the Naval Ball."

Major Alfred Hasbrouck, Washington, Conn.—"While no doubt the enclosed check for $10 will arrive too late to be available for helping in giving Christmas cheer, I am sure you will put it to good use in relieving the continuing want involved in one of the Hundred Neediest Cases."

Anonymous—"Here is 25 cents for your $125,000 which you want for the Neediest Cases."

A Happy Family—"Enclosed is a check for $7 contributed by members of a happy family to be divided among those cases which have received least contributions."

No agents are employed by THE NEW YORK TIMES or any of the charitable organizations to solicit contributions for the Hundred Neediest Cases.

No aid is being received by any of the families in the Hundred Neediest Cases under the State Pension law.

Contributions are deductible from income tax returns.

Every cent goes to buy food, clothing and other necessaries, no administrative or clerical expenses being paid from the contributions.

Checks may be drawn to the order of the Hundred Neediest Cases and sent to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

DAY'S CONTRIBUTIONS TO FUND FOR NEEDIEST

Contributions for the Neediest Cases yesterday amounted to $4,718.37, making a total of $83,944.86. These were received as follows:

THE NEW YORK TIMES	$1,673.00
Brooklyn Bureau of Charities	1,425.50
Charity Organization Society	787.87
Association for Improving the Condition of the Poor	675.50
State Charities Aid Association	157.50
Total	$4,718.37
Previously reported	79,226.49
Total	$83,944.86

Contributions received by The New York Times direct:

Adamson, G. F.	$5
A friend	6
A friend	2
A friend	5
A friend	4
A. G.	100
A happy family	7
A. H. D., in mem. of Jessie Delano	10
A. J. B.	5
Alden, C. E.	5
Allen, Isabel, lodger, Margaret and Vandever Shirley	2
Anderson, H. C.	10
A newspaper man and his wife	5
Anonymous	5
Anonymous	.25
Anonymous	1
Anonymous	5
Anonymous	10
Anonymous	5
Anonymous	5
Anonymous	2
Anonymous	5
Anonymous	2
Anonymous	50
Anonymous	1
Anonymous, Mississippi	30
Arrowsmith, S. S.	5
Atterbury, G.	25
A. W., Boston	40
Baldwin, T.	5
Ballin, N.	5
Bamberg, A.	5
Bates, E. G.	5
Bowless, Dorothy E.	5
Breck, Jessie	5
Brennan, Mabel	2
Brown, Ann	10
Brown, R. W.	5
Burtis, V. B.	10
Burton, Elizabeth Ashley	25
Buchman, Bella S.	10
Cappelin, A.	5
Cash	2
C. F. G.	100
Cleaveland, Mr. and Mrs. F. N.	5
C. L. N.	5
Cochrane, Jean	1
Davidson, C. I.	5
Dean, M. B.	25
Denzer, Mrs. N.	5
De Packh, Cecilie	1
Bornheim, H. C.	10
Douglas, Betty and Audrey	5
D. P. B.	25
E. and K.	5
E. C.	1
Ecker, Mrs. F. H.	25
E. F. B.	10
E. F. R.	10
E. G.	5
Elmer, F. D.	10
Ely, M. C.	25
E. V. B.	5
F. C. E.	5
Field, Miss O.	15
Fine, Mrs. H. B.	2
Frear, Augusta H.	100
Galm, Erica	2
G. and E. B.	1
Gates, Emma	25
G. P. M.	5
Gray, Ann	5
Griffin, John W.	20
Gutierman, L. M.	10
G. W. H.	10
Hagen, L. T.	10
Halstead, M. A.	8.75
Harding, Mr. and Mrs. Burcham	50
H. A. S.	5
H. C. J.	5
H. H. W.	10
Hilson, Laura S.	10
H. T.	2
Hough, W.	2
Hoyt, Edwin T.	10
Hughes, T. F.	50
Ingels, M. M.	30
In Memory C.J.M.	5
In Memory Colonel P. W. A.	10
In Memory Earle Sawyer	10
In Memory G.W.A.	2
In Memory H. C. S. R. N.	10
In Memory Lieut. A. E. Garnsey	5
In Memory Mother	1
Jean and Sandy McNab	2.50
Jenkins, A.	10
J. F. B.	2
J. H. M.	5
J. H. W.	5
Johnson, S. T.	25
Kaufman, Mrs. S.	10
Keenan, A. J. Jr.	5
Kline, Samuel	3
Knepper, O. S.	20
Kotman, Leila P.	10
Kuhlke, Pauline	5
Landy, J. B.	5
Leonard, E. R.	5
Lilianthal, F.	5
Lockwood, L. C.	10
Lucas, A. E.	1
Ludlam, Edna M.	6
Marjorie and Meriam	5
M. B. O.	1
M. B. W.	10
McGhee, M.	1
McGregor, W. C.	1
McShee, J. H.	2
M. E. B., Conn.	10
M. H. L. M.	1
Moore, M.	10
Morris, E. A.	5
Mother's Helper & Elementary Sch.	6
Mystray, Ethel	5
Newburger, Sam.	10
Newhouse, Mrs. W.S.	5
Oppenheimer, Otto	2
Parks, W. C.	10
Patter, C. J.	30
P. S. O'B.	5
Reynolds, Anna C.	2
Reynolds, Helen	2
R. H. S.	25
Riley, Edward P.	5
Rohn, F. M.	5
Rona, L.	5
Rothschild, A. J.	25
Roundy, R. B.	1
S. B. K.	5
Schreiner, Mrs. S.H.	5
Scott, S. Spencer	5
S. F. D.	1
Simmonds, E. S.	2
Snow, Helen G.	2
Spafford, E. H.	15
Steame, I. J.	5
Stephenson, M. M.	10
Stewart Grace B.	5
Stewart, Mrs. H. M.	5
Stubbs, N. H.	25
Sunnybank Collies, The	10
Swasey, Eva I.	5
Taylor, C. H.	1
T. E. A.	25
Thompson, Mrs. B.J.	5
Thurman, Mrs. I. N.	5
Trestler, E.	10
Vreeland	1
Walser, C.	10
Werner, Sophie	10
Woodward, C.V.B.	2.50
Total	$1,673

Contributions received through the Brooklyn Bureau of Charities:

Allen, Josephine W.	$10
Allman, F. D.	5
Anonymous	12.50
Anonymous	10
Arline, in Loving Memory of	5
A Widow	1
Ballantine, Mrs.	3
Brandin, Robert	10
Brewer, V. J.	10
Bricker, Eugene C.	10
Brinckerhoff, A. G.	10
Cohan, Mrs. E. B.	5
D. O. B.	20
Geismar, J. L.	5
Hull, Mrs. J. D.	2
Ingersoll, Mrs. M.C.	45
Jones, Mrs. H. E.	100
Kendrick A.	$10
Kirby, G. E.	3
Louise and Lillian	2
Malcolm D., in Memory of	10
Murray, M. B., in Loving Memory of	5
Nathan, Sigurd	25
Pierron, Anna G.	2
Rice, Elliott H.	5
Richards, E. G.	50
Robb, John H.	10
Shelton, Mrs. G.W.	5
Stowell, Mrs. C. I.	10
Van Buskirk, F.	5
Ward, Artemas	1,000
Weimann, C. L.	10
Witbeck, Mr.	10
Total	$1,425.50

Contributions received through the Charity Organization Society:

Cash	$1
L. M. B.	15.37
In Memory Buttons	5
J. C. A. & D.W. A.	15
Berles, G. G.	10
Anonymous	10
Goldstein, Mrs. E.	1
Graves, Lavina	5
Loveman, H. S.	10
Leslie, R. P.	25
Malevinsky, M. L.	12.50
Marlowe, Miss E.M.	4
Mendelson, Anna	10
Mousselet, M. E.	5
Anonymous	5
Prince, Mildred E.	3
C. E. R.	$10
Richards, E. G.	50
Anonymous	5
Robinson, Mrs. T. H. Jr.	15
Rushing, Florence	5
F. S. S.	5
Shepherd, Mrs. M.C.	1
K. M. S.	15
Stromberg, E. M.	5
Tomkins, Mary E.	10
Wainwright, Mrs. J. H.	10
Wyeth, L. J.	20
Young, Rose E.	500
Total	$787.87

Contributions received through the Association for Improving the Condition of the Poor:

A friend	$10
A friend	2
Anonymous	12.50
Anonymous	4
A. M. T.	5
A. T. W.	2
Brooks, Mrs. J. A.	20
Cash	2
C. M. W.	15
Colley, Dr. Annie F.	10
Collier, Mrs. E.	5
Duncan, Mrs. Nora E.	5
E. C. F.	10
E. Y. F.	100
Four Andrew boys	4
Genung, Ella M.	15
Gray, Mrs. Maria L.	5
Griswold, Miss Florence	10
Hopkins, Elizabeth S.	$50
In mem. of Agnes Chevrier	10
Jones, Mrs. M. A.	20
Le Massena, Helene P.	6
Lienau, Mary W.	5
L. S. C.	100
McAdoo, F. H.	25
McBride, Elinor	10
Mrs. F. H. D.	10
Nute, Annie L.	100
Richards, E. G.	50
Saks, Mrs. A.	25
Shults, Clyde C.	3
Tremain, Mr. and Mrs. E. R.	10
Wile, A. E. and Janice	10
Yonkers	5
Total	$675.50

Contributions received through the State Charities Aid Association:

Richards, E. G.	$50
Butler, Miss H. C.	25
Dickinson, Mrs. L. M.	25
Malevinsky, M.L.	12.50
In memory of my mother, Agnes Chenier	10
Taylor, W. R.	10
Hodkinson, Mrs. W. W.	$10
Mayo, Miss Julia	5
Shelton, A. W.	5
Hadley, Rev. H. L.	2
Lloyd, Nelson Jr.	2
Kennedy, Mrs.	1
Total	$157.50

O'RYAN NOT TO TAKE POST.

Doesn't Want Appointment as Chief of Militia Bureau.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—Secretary Baker has the names of several National Guard officers under consideration for the post of Chief of the Militia Bureau of the War Department, but said today he had reached no decision as to whom he would recommend to the President.

Major Gen. John F. O'Ryan, who commanded the Twenty-seventh Division (New York National Guard) during the war, will not be the appointee, it is understood, although his name has been frequently mentioned for the post. General O'Ryan is understood not to desire the appointment.

Under the Army Reorganization act, the President may nominate as head of the Militia Bureau, with the rank and pay of a Major General, any officer of the National Guard above the rank of Major who is also a reserve officer, the office to be available after Dec. 31. Hitherto the post has always been held by a regular army officer.

Christmas Made Happy for Cripples.

Thirty crippled children were the guests at a dinner given by Miss Matilda Danziger at Allaire's on Christmas Day. After dinner the children attended the post-graduate Christmas party given for the clinic children by the Thursday Hospital After Care Society. Each child received clothing and toys. Mrs. Morton Rutsky, Mrs. Henry Wise and Mrs. Finkelstein were in charge of the party.

SOCIAL NOTES

New York.

Mrs. Algernon Sydney Sullivan is head of the New York Auxiliary of the Southern Industrial Educational Association, which is to give the annual Mardi Gras ball on Shrove Tuesday at the Ritz-Carlton in aid of the association.

Mr. and Mrs. Newbold LeRoy Edgar are spending the holidays at their place in Tuxedo Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward H. Floyd-Jones are at the St. Regis, also Colonel and Mrs. James T. Loree, who have come from Albany.

Mrs. Alfred J. Johnson, Mrs. Francis Burrall Hoffman, Mrs. William Redding, Mrs. William C. Shanley and Mrs. Lyttleton Fox are in charge of arrangements for the annual reception and cotillion to be given on the night of Jan. 4 at the Waldorf-Astoria for the destitute sick of St. Vincent's Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Lindsay H. Welling are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son. Mrs. Welling was formerly Miss Lucy Randolph Blodget.

Miss Elisabeth Marbury and Miss Elsie de Wolfe entertained at dinner last night at 123 East Fifty-fifth Street.

Mrs. Phillips B. Thompson, Mrs. N. C. Reynal, Mrs. Robert D. Brewster, Mrs. Tracy Dows, Mrs. W. DeLancey Kountze, Mrs. John T. Pratt and Mrs. Harry H. Benkard form the committee for Miss Robinson's Christmas dance to be held tonight at the Plaza.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick W. Longfellow are to give a dance tonight for their daughter, Miss Juliette D. Longfellow, at the Colony Club, and Mr. and Mrs. John H. Prentice will entertain at the Ritz with a coming-out dance for their daughter, Miss Caroline Prentice. Mrs. Sackett M. Barclay and Mrs. Thornton Ward are to give a débutante reception today for Miss Ethel Chard.

Mrs. Otto H. Kahn will open her town house this afternoon for the second musicale-lecture under the auspices of the Schola Cantorum.

Mrs. Horace Leslie Hotchkiss 3d is head of the Junior League of the Bloomingdale Day Nursery, which is to hold a benefit dance tonight at the Plaza.

Mr. and Mrs. Hulbert D. Bassett of 270 Park Avenue are giving a reception and tea at their home this afternoon from 4 to 7, for which 700 invitations have been issued.

Mr. and Mrs. George Emlen Starr, who spent Christmas with Mrs. Starr's mother, Mrs. Charles G. Ayres, at 55 West Fifty-fifth Street, returned yesterday to Philadelphia to attend the Benedicts' dance.

Mecca Ball on New Year's Night.

The Mecca Ball will be held on New Year's evening at the Hotel des Artistes. A program, including Russian ballet dancing, will start after the reception at 10 o'clock. Howard Chandler Christy has arranged one of the artistic features of the evening.

James P. McCarthy.

James P. McCarthy, a newspaper editor and author, died in the Post Graduate Hospital on Sunday after an operation for appendicitis. Mr. McCarthy was born in Worcester, Mass., forty-nine years ago, and started newspaper work at the age of 16. He was at one time city editor of The Worcester Telegram and for several years was on The Brooklyn Standard Union, after which he became Brooklyn manager of The New York Herald. Since the consolidation of The Herald and Sun he had held an editorial position on The Evening Telegram. Mr. McCarthy was the author of "The Newspaper Worker," a textbook, and "The Rise of Dennis Hathnaught." Funeral services and interment will be held in Worcester tomorrow.

D. C. Coveos Died of War Wounds.

Dimitrie C. Coveos, winner of medals in the Balkan wars and veteran of two years' service in the World War, for whom services were held yesterday afternoon at The Funeral Church, died in Austin's Sanitarium from the effects of gassing and other wounds received on the battlefield. He was 37 years old and the son of a cotton broker of Cairo, Egypt.

Hal B. Mosby.

BOSTON, Dec. 27.—The death at his home, in Medford of Hal B. Mosby, Chief Post Office Inspector in New England and a nephew of the Confederate guerilla chief, John S. Mosby, became known at the Federal building today. His most important activities recently were in the Ponzi fraud, Mr. Mosby's investigation furnishing the basis on which the promoter was sentenced to five years for fraudulent use of the mails.

Obituary Notes.

ANDREW MILES FLEMING, known in Los Angeles, Cal., his home, as the "Candy Grandpa" because for thirty years he had made a daily practice of distributing candy to the poor children, died yesterday in Wilmington, Del. He was 83 years old.

CLIFFORD LEON SHERMAN, 45, former newspaper artist and author in San Francisco, New York and Boston, died in Springfield, Ill., yesterday of tuberculosis.

Madame MARIE BASHKIRTSEFF, mother of the late Maria Constantinovna Bashkirtseff, the Russian artist and author, died in Nice, France, yesterday. She was 87 years old.

The Very Rev. MICHAEL V. BALOGH, Dean of the Hungarian Greek Catholic Churches in America, died yesterday in Cleveland, Ohio. He was 56 years old.

MICHAEL JAMES WHITTY of 59 Nagle Avenue, this city, editor of The Azoth Magazine, which is devoted to psychical, theosophical and astrological matters, died yesterday, according to a telegram received here last night from Los Angeles, Cal. Azoth is published by the Azoth Publishing Company of 11 Hamilton Place, this city.

EDWIN B. WESTERVELT, a real estate dealer in Cresskill, N. J., died at his home there yesterday at the age of 59.

THOMAS J. LINTOTT, former District Court Judge in Newark, died there yesterday in St. Michael's Hospital, following an operation. He was 63 years old.

FREDERICK A. BORCHERLING, son-in-law of Chief Justice William S. Gummere of the New Jersey Supreme Court, died yesterday at his home in Newark at the age of 49.

PERRY L. AUSTIN, 88 years old, who was selected for President Lincoln's bodyguard because he was the tallest man in Winfield Scott's cavalry, is dead at his home in Waukegan, Ill.

Commodore JOHN ECCLESTON CRAVEN, U. S. N., retired, died suddenly yesterday at his home in Annapolis at the age of 62.

HAMLIN F. PALMER, Controller of the town of Greenwich, died there Sunday night of cancer at the age of 61.

GEORGE F. RENDALL, retired mining and mechanical engineer and inventor, died on Saturday in Brooklyn. He was 68 years old.

CHARLES M. BOOTH, for thirty years an officer in the Hanover National Bank, died Saturday at his home in East Orange, aged 54.

WILLIAM ANDRE, for twenty-five years an Adirondack guide and a former game warden in Lewis and Herkimer Counties, N. Y., died Sunday at his home in Croghan, N. Y., aged 52.

WILLIAM PARKS, a compositor and linotyper on The Brooklyn Times for seventeen years, died on Sunday in the Brooklyn Home for Consumptives, aged 65 years.

JOHN BRISTOW BOND, for many years with the United Lead Company and a resident of Brooklyn for thirty years, died on Saturday in St. Mary's Hospital of pneumonia. He was 52 years old.

THOR IVERSEN, 82 years old, a retired ship carpenter, died on Sunday at his home, 213A Twenty-ninth Street, Brooklyn.

MICHAEL F. MINITER, an attache of the County Clerk's office and formerly for many years in the stair building business with his brother, died on Saturday at his home, 456 Sixth Street, Brooklyn.

FREDERICK F. BAKER, 46 years old, a civil engineer, died of pneumonia on Saturday at his home, 505 Fifth Avenue, Brooklyn.

Mrs. HATTIE BROWN FLATOW, widow of Morris Flatow, an auctioneer of Brooklyn, died at her home, 1,666 Union Street, Brooklyn, on Saturday, aged 57 years.

FRANK E. WOPPERER, a foreman for the B. R. T. and a resident of Brooklyn for more than fifty years, died on Saturday at his home, 1,843 Stephen Street, Brooklyn, at the age of 57 years.

ADOLPH HEIM, a retired milk dealer of Brooklyn, died on Saturday at his home, 330 West Seventeenth Street, aged 45 years.

GEORGE W. ENNIS, 56 years old, a gold beater, died at his home in Woodhaven, L. I., on Saturday.

JAMES P. HOGAN, in the employ of Cheney Brothers, silk manufacturers, died of apoplexy on Sunday at his home, 224 Ovington Avenue, Brooklyn.

GEORGE HENSHAW ELY, 73 years old, an agent for the Bayonne Transportation Company, and an active member of the Sumner Avenue M. E. Church, died on Friday at his home, 2,500 Avenue D, Flatbush, from heart disease.

BARON DES PLANCHES, DIPLOMAT, DIES AT 69

Ex-Italian Ambassador to United States Was Member of Interallied Council in London.

ROME, Dec. 27.—Baron Mayor des Planches, former Italian Ambassador to the United States, is dead, it was announced here this morning.

Baron Edmondo Mayor des Planches was born July 27, 1851, and entered public life in 1875, when he became a secretary to the Minister of Foreign Affairs. He continued in this department in various capacities until April, 1894, when he was nominated Counsellor to the Italian Embassy in Berlin, later holding a similar position at the Italian Embassy in Constantinople. He was named Ambassador to the United States in 1901, arriving in this country on Aug. 8 that year. He continued in that office until January, 1910, when he was transferred to Constantinople, to remain there only one year.

Ex-Justice Wilbur Fisk Stone.

DENVER, Col., Dec. 27.—Wilbur Fisk Stone, former Justice of the Colorado Supreme Court, first general attorney of the Denver & Rio Grande Railroad, and former editor of newspapers in Evansville, Ind., and Omaha, Neb., died at his home here today. Tomorrow he would have been 87 years old.

Born.

BATLAN—Mr. and Mrs. Ben Batlan (nee Kitty Levkovits), announce the arrival of a son, Dec. 25, 1920, at Stern's Sanatorium, 365 West End Av.

LANGSTAFF—Mr. and Mrs. B. Meredith Langstaff (nee Esther Knox Boardman) of 19 7th Av., Brooklyn, announce the birth of their son, John Meredith, on Dec. 24.

SHONGUT—Mr. and Mrs. Abraham L. Shongut announce the birth of a daughter, Elizabeth Amelia, Dec. 26, at Woman's Hospital.

Engaged.

VAN ALLEN—BINNING—Mr. and Mrs. Roland Binning of Jamaica Park, L. I., announce the engagement of their daughter, Edna M., to Mr. Harry B. Van Allen of Jamaica, L. I.

Married.

ECKSTEIN—SCHNITZER—On Dec. 26, Edna Schnitzer to Nathan D. Eckstein.

FRANKLIN—WILLIS—On Monday, Dec. 27, 1920, at St. Thomas's Church, New York City, by the Rev. Floyd S. Leach, Dorothy Bard Willis to Ruford Davis Franklin.

KELMAN—BANNER—On Sunday, Dec. 26, in B'nai Israel Synagogue, Brooklyn, Mary Banner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Simon Banner of New York City, to Isidore Kelman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Kelman of Brooklyn, N. Y.

THORNE—HALL—On Dec. 22, 1920, in New York, Mrs. Gertrude Lane Hall, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Francis T. L. Lane of New York, was married to Charles Stockton Thorne of Lakewood and New York.

WADHAMS—CUMMINGS—Mr. and Mrs. John Seneca Cummings of 1,144 Sterling Place, Brooklyn, announce the marriage of their daughter, Helen Stearns, to Mr. Robert Wiltsie Wadhams of Pittsford, N. Y., at St. Paul's Chapel, Trinity Parish, by the Rev. George Benson Cox, on Friday, Dec. 24.

Died.

ALLAIRE—At Bayonne, N. J., on Saturday, Dec. 25, 1920, Charles F., beloved husband of Mabel Allaire (nee Rohde) and son of Edwin E. Allaire, age 47 years. Funeral services at his late residence, 903 Av. C, Bayonne, on Tuesday, Dec. 28, at 8 P. M. Relatives and friends invited.

BACH—Carrie (nee Jacobs), widow of Julius Bach and beloved mother of Jacob Bach, Beatrice Dreifuss, David and Florence Bach. Funeral from her late residence, 647 53d St., Brooklyn, on Tuesday, Dec. 28, 1920, at 1 P. M.

BAKER—On Saturday, Dec. 25, 1920, Frederick F. Baker, beloved husband of Annie Trimble. Funeral service on Wednesday afternoon, Dec. 29, at 2 o'clock at funeral parlors of Willis E. Stafford & Son, 120 Livingston St., Brooklyn. Interment private. Buffalo (N. Y.) papers please copy.

BARTOW—At Fishkill, N. Y., Dec. 27, 1920, Augustus, son of Harriot C. and the late William A. Bartow, aged 35 years. Funeral services will be held at his late home, Broad St., Fishkill, N. Y., Wednesday at 1:30 P. M. Carriages will meet the train at Beacon, N. Y., leaving New York City at 9:25 A. M.

BOICE—Suddenly, on Monday, Dec. 27, 1920, Harriet L. Boice. Funeral services at the home of her sister, Mrs. B. J. Shreve, 118 Grove St., North Plainfield, N. J., Wednesday, Dec. 29, at 2 P. M. Interment in Evergreen Cemetery, Plainfield, N. J.

BOOTH—At East Orange, N. J., Dec. 25, 1920, Charles M. Booth. Funeral services at his late residence, 97 Warrington Place, on Tuesday, Dec. 28, at 3 P. M.

BORCHERLING—At Newark, N. J., on Monday, Dec. 27, 1920, Frederick Adolph, husband of Frances Gummere Borcherling, in his 49th year. Funeral services will be held at his late home, 1,044 Broad St., Newark, on Thursday, Dec. 30, at 11 A. M. Interment in Mount Pleasant Cemetery, at the convenience of the family. Please omit flowers.

BRUSH—At her residence, 240 Jewett Av., Jersey City, Sunday, Dec. 26, 1920, Mary Butler, widow of the Rev. William Peck Brush. Funeral services Wednesday, Dec. 29, at 8 P. M., at St. Paul's Church in Bergen, Duncan Av., near Boulevard, Jersey City.

BURDEN—Mary Irvin, widow of the late James Abercrombie Burden and daughter of the late Richards Irvin. Funeral services will be held at the Madison Av. Presbyterian Church, Madison Av. and 73d St., on Tuesday, Dec. 28, at 11 A. M.

BURDEN—The Colonial Dames of America announce with deep regret the death of their fellow member, Mrs. James Abercrombie Burden, on Saturday, Dec. 25, in New York. E. B. Borrowe, Secretary.

BUTT—L. Havemeyer Butt of Tuxedo Park, aged 34, beloved husband of May Frances Vogel, of tuberculosis contracted in the World War, at Riverside, Cal., Dec. 24, 1920. Funeral from St. Thomas's Church Friday, Dec. 31, at 11 o'clock. Interment private. Please omit flowers.

CAMMANN—George Philip, husband of Jean B. Cammann, of pneumonia, on Dec. 25. Funeral, Church of the Heavenly Rest, 2 P. M., Dec. 28.

CAMMANN—Society of Colonial Wars in the State of New York, 43 Cedar St., New York. With deep regret announcement is made of the death on Dec. 25 of their late associate, George Philip Cammann.

Edward Lasell Partridge, M.D., Governor.

Rene A. de Russy, Secretary.

CAMMANN—St. Nicholas Society of the City of New York, 43 Cedar St., New York. It is with deep regret that announcement is made of the death on Dec. 25 of their late associate, George Philip Cammann.

Alfred Waggstaff, President.

Frederic Irving Lockman, Secretary.

CLEMENS—Chester E., of Cleveland, Ohio, Dec. 24. Funeral from 128 Manhattan Av., N. Y. City, Dec. 28, at 10:30 A. M. Interment at Kensico Cemetery.

CONCANNON—Suddenly, on Sunday, Dec. 26, 1920, Gertrude Rose Concannon, at her residence, 300 Clerk St., Jersey City. Funeral on Tuesday, Dec. 28, at 5 P. M. Interment at Lavonia, N. Y., on Thursday, Dec. 30. Rochester papers please copy.

COOK—Amelia Francis, on Dec. 27, daughter of the late Thomas and Amelia Cook, at her late residence, 215 West 101st St. Funeral notice later.

COOPER—On Sunday, Dec. 26, after a short illness, Katherine Maria, daughter of the late William B. and Margaret Maria Cooper. Funeral services will be held on Tuesday morning at 10:30 o'clock at St. Luke's Chapel, 483 Hudson St., below Christopher. Middletown (Conn.) papers please copy.

CURTIS—On Sunday, Dec. 26, 1920, at his residence, in Stratford, Conn., Howard W. Curtis, in his 31st year. Funeral services at the residence of his father, H. J. Curtis, 2,155 Main St., Stratford, Conn., on Wednesday, Dec. 29, at 2:30 P. M.

DANNATT—Ada A., wife of the late Thomas R. Dannatt of Philadelphia, entered life eternal Dec. 26 at the home of her sister, Mrs. Helen E. Smith, 228 Hewes St., Brooklyn. Services and interment private.

DE LA—At Yonkers, N. Y., on Monday, Dec. 27, 1920, Faye Allerton Leonard De La, daughter of Clarence E. and Lizzie S. Leonard and widow of Charles Paul De La, in her 38th year. Funeral services at her late residence, 628 Van Cortlandt Park Av., Yonkers, on Tuesday, Dec. 28, at 8 P. M.

Died.

DOOLITTLE—At Utica, N. Y., Dec. 26, 1920, Mary Adams Johnson, wife of Charles J. Doolittle.

DURAND—On Sunday, Dec. 26, 1920, James Madison Durand, grandson of the late James M. and son of the late Henry and Charlotte L. Bragau Durand, in his 52d year. Funeral services will be held at the "Home for Services," 160 Clinton Av., Newark, N. J., on Wednesday, Dec. 29, at 2 P. M. Interment private.

EKBLOM—At Yonkers, N. Y., on Sunday, Dec. 26, 1920, Karim, wife of John O. Ekblom, in her 59th year. Funeral services will be held at the Mile Square Reformed Church, Yonkers, on Wednesday, Dec. 29, at 2:30 P. M. Interment Oakland Cemetery.

FOGAL—Alonzo, in his 83d year, son of the late John and Katharine Provost Fogal. Funeral services Tuesday, Dec. 28, 8 P. M., at the home of his daughter, Mrs. A. S. Van Orden, Central Av., Ramsey, N. J. (Erie R. R.)

FORSYTH—On Dec. 27, 1920, at Mydrie Esmont, Va., Sarah Rice, in her 72d year, daughter of the late Bradish Johnson and wife of the late Harry F. Forsyth of London, England, and New Orleans, La. Funeral at Richmond, Va., Dec. 30.

FROWEIN—At Ardsley, N. Y., Dec. 27, 1920, Corinne Henrietta, fourth daughter of F. Arnold Frowein. Funeral service will be held at her late residence on Thursday, Dec. 30, at 10 A. M. Interment Lutheran Cemetery.

GANTZ—Dec. 26, 1920, G. Francis, beloved son of Cornelia Allaire Roberts and the late Walter H. Gantz. Funeral services Stephen Merritt's Harlem Chapel, 304 West 126th St., Wednesday morning, 10 o'clock.

HALBE—Dec. 26, 1920, William A., beloved husband of Minnie M. Lydecker and son of the late F. C. Halbe, in his 53d year. Funeral services will be held at the Masonic Temple, White Plains, N. Y., on Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock. Interment private.

HARRIS—On Monday, Dec. 27, in his 59th year, Moe, beloved husband of Ray Harris (nee Kochman) and devoted father of Harry, Mrs. Minnie Bauth, Michael, Milton and Mildred Harris. Funeral services from Martin Pick's Parlor, 227 Lenox Av., Wednesday, Dec. 29, at 2 P. M.

HARRIS—Morris (Moe). Samuel Tichner Society. Brethren: It is with deep regret that we notify you of the death of our charter member, Moe Harris, and you are requested to attend the funeral on Wednesday, Dec. 29, at 2 P. M., from Martin Pick's chapel, 227 Lenox Av.

Herman [illegible], President.

Ben Lebenheim, Secretary.

HARRIS—Sarah Anna Harris, wife of the late George Harris, at the residence of her daughter, Viola H. Husted, White Plains, N. Y., on Monday, Dec. 27. Funeral private. Kindly omit flowers.

HATHAWAY—Suddenly, on Dec. 27, in his 30th year, Walter Crane Hathaway, beloved husband of Ruth Viola Adams and son of Walter Thurston and Annie Crane Hathaway. Funeral services 2 P. M. Wednesday, 640 Macon St. Interment at Hartford, Conn.

HAYES—On Dec. 27, at residence, 19 East 128th St., Peter, beloved husband of Margaret H. Hayes. Funeral Thursday, 9:30. Solemn high requiem mass at All Saints' Church, Madison Av. and 129th St., 10 o'clock. Interment St. Raymond's Cemetery. Auto cortege.

HAYNES—Lydia Gibson, on Dec. 25. Funeral services at her late residence, 1,113 Findlay Av., on Tuesday, Dec. 28, at 8 P. M.

HENRICH—On Dec. 26, 1920, Rosa, beloved wife of Henry and beloved mother of Carrie and Ernest Juergens. Funeral services at her late residence, 457 West 140th St., on Dec. 28, 1920, at 8 P. M. Interment private. Please omit flowers.

HOFFMANN—Entered into life eternal, Louis G., beloved husband of Nellie Strong, aged 48 years. Funeral services will be held at his late home, 60 Grand St., Newburgh, N. Y., on Wednesday, Dec. 29, at 2 o'clock. Interment St. George's Cemetery.

HOGAN—On Dec. 26, James P., beloved husband of Margaret Hogan (nee Bettman) and brother of John C. and Joseph A. and Mrs. Mary Monaghan. Funeral from his late residence, 224 Ovington Av., Brooklyn, on Wednesday, Dec. 29, at 9:30 A. M., thence to the Church of Our Lady of Angels, 4th Av. and 74th St., Brooklyn, where a solemn mass of requiem will be offered for the repose of his soul. Interment Calvary Cemetery. Auto cortege.

HOLDSWORTH—At Passaic, N. J., Sunday, Dec. 26, 1920, Ella V., widow of the late Joseph Holdsworth. Funeral services at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. R. Irving Outwater, 163 Boulevard, Tuesday, Dec. 28, at 2:30 P. M.

JACKSON—Suddenly, on Monday, Dec. 27, 1920, Mahala E. Jackson, widow of George Jackson. Funeral service at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. William D. Tracy, 1,959 Cedar Av., Tuesday, at 8 P. M. Interment Evergreen Cemetery.

JOHNSON—Augusta E., on Dec. 26, 1920, aged 63. Funeral service at her late residence, 448 Riverside Drive, Tuesday, Dec. 28, at 1:30 P. M.

JONES—John. Services from Meyers's Funeral Parlors Tuesday, Dec. 28, 2 P. M.

JUDSON—At his residence, New Canaan, Conn., Robert Mortimer Judson. Private funeral services on Wednesday, Dec. 29, at 11:30 A. M.

JULIAN—On Dec. 27, Sarah, widow of the late Mortimer H. Julian and devoted mother of Mortimer and dearly beloved sister of Birdie Martin. Funeral from the Chapel of Saul A. Rothschild, 159 West 120th St., on Wednesday, Dec. 29, 2 P. M.

KABLE—At his residence, 774 Forest Av., Carl, aged 84. Funeral service on Wednesday at 8 P. M. Funeral Thursday at 10 o'clock.

KELLEY—On Dec. 26, Mrs. D. P. Kelley. Funeral from 209 West 15th St., Wednesday, Dec. 29, at 11 A. M. Interment Calvary.

KENT—Ida Belle, beloved wife of George W. Kent, and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Felter, at her residence, 191 Euclid Av., Hackensack, N. J., on Dec. 26, 1920. Services at 2:45 P. M., Tuesday, Dec. 28. Interment Wednesday morning.

KERNAN—The Colonial Dames of the State of New York announce with deep regret the death on Dec. 25, 1920, of Miss Elizabeth Butler Kernan, a member of the society.

Eleanor Van Rensselaer Fairfax, President.

Elizabeth S C. Potter, Recording Sec'y.

LARKIN—Departed this life Sunday, Dec. 26, 1920, Jane E. (nee Manning), beloved wife of the late Francis Larkin and loving mother of Joseph, Edward, Francis, Sylvester, Mrs. Floyd Russell and Mrs. Thomas Colwell. Funeral from her late residence, 238 East 68th St., on Wednesday, Dec. 29, at 9:30 A. M., thence to St. Vincent Ferrer's Church, Lexington Av. and 66th St., where a Pontifical requiem mass will be offered for the repose of her soul. Interment Calvary Cemetery. Auto cortege.

LAWRENCE—Entered into rest on Dec. 24, at her residence, 126 East 30th St., Katharine Dilworth, wife of John Burling Lawrence. Funeral services at Trinity Chapel, 25th St., west of Broadway, on Tuesday, Dec. 28, at 10:30. It is requested that no flowers be sent.

LEDERER—Karoline, beloved wife of Samuel and dear mother of Adolph and Mrs. Pauline Schiff. Services at Meyers's funeral parlors, 228 Lenox Av., Tuesday, Dec. 28 at 10 A. M. Members of the Rebecca Society, Rehoboth Lodge, King David Lodge, Noah Benevolent Society and Mount Neboh Lodge, F. & A. M., respectfully invited.

LEDERER—Karoline, wife of Brother Samuel. Services Meyers's Funeral Parlors, 228 Lenox Av., Tuesday, Dec. 28, 10 A. M.

Rehoboth Lodge, 38, I. O. B. B., Louis M. Aron, President.

A. Franklin, Secretary.

LINTON—At Maplewood, N. J., Dec. 26, 1920, Betty, daughter of Parker and Mabel English Linton, aged 5 years and 8 months. Funeral service will be held at the residence of her parents, 74 Durand Road, Maplewood, N. Y., on Tuesday, Dec. 28, at 3 P. M. Detroit papers please copy.

LINTOTT—Thomas J., beloved husband of Jane A. Lintott, suddenly, on Monday, Dec. 27, at 624 Mount Prospect Av., Newark, N. J. Notice of funeral hereafter. Kindly omit flowers.

MacCARTHY—Dec. 26, at the Post Graduate Hospital, James Philip MacCarthy, husband of Jessie Howell MacCarthy. Funeral services and interment in Worcester, Mass.

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McCOUN—Henry T., son of the late Henry Townsend McCoun. Services and interment private at Newburg, N. Y., Wednesday.

MAY—Entered into rest Dec. 27, 1920, Elizabeth, dearly beloved daughter of the late Jacob and Elizabeth May. Services Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock at her late residence, 409 Parkside Av., Brooklyn. Kindly omit flowers. Interment private.

MEISSEL—On Dec. 26, 1920, Adolph, in his 63d year, beloved father of William L. Meissel and brother of Jennie K. Stiefel and Belle M. Kellner. Services at New Union Fields Cemetery, Brooklyn, Wednesday, Dec. 29, 11 A. M.

MEKELBURG—Arcana Lodge, No. 246, F. and A. M.—Brethren: You are hereby summoned to pay the last respects to our deceased brother, Nathan Mekelburg. Masonic funeral services Wednesday, 10 A. M., at Saul Rothschild's funeral parlors, 159 West 120th St.

Sol. Schatzberg, Master.

J. Van Benschoten, Secretary.

MEKELBURG—Dec. 26, in his 42d year, Nathan, beloved husband of Mary (nee Pfeiffer) and devoted brother of Bessie Levie, Bella Sommerfeld, Abraham, Philip and Joseph. Funeral from Chapel of Saul A. Rothschild, 159 West 120th St., Wednesday, Dec. 29, 10 A. M.

MEYERS—Henry, suddenly, beloved husband of Hattie Goodman. Funeral private. Boston.

MOORE—On Sunday, Dec. 26, 1920, Harriet Fanshaw Whitlock, wife of George G. Moore, in her 77th year. Services at her late residence, 833 Madison Av., on Tuesday, Dec. 28, at 1:30 P. M. Interment private. Please omit flowers.

MURRAY—At Plainfield, N. J., on Monday, Dec. 27, 1920, Mary Strothers, beloved wife of the late John W. Murray, Sr., in her 86th year. Services at her late residence, 804 Central Av., Plainfield, N. J., on Wednesday, Dec. 29, at 2:30 P. M.

NEWTON—Mary E. Doane, wife of William A. Newton, 22 Chatterton Av., White Plains, N. Y. Funeral services Tuesday, Dec. 28, at 3 P. M. Interment at New London, Conn. Connecticut papers please copy.

PALMER—On Dec. 26, 1920, Hamlin F. Palmer of Sound Beach, Conn. Funeral services at Sound Beach Congregational Church, Wednesday, Dec. 29, at 3 P. M.

PENDREIGH—Suddenly, of pneumonia, Monday, Dec. 27, 1920, William A. Pendreigh. Notice of funeral later.

ROGOW—Elias. Maimonides Lodge 743, F. and A. M.—Brethren: You are hereby summoned to attend Masonic funeral services of Brother Elias Rogow Tuesday morning at 11 o'clock at his late residence, 315 8th Av., Brooklyn.

Jacob Maran, Master.

Nathaniel Ettinger, Secretary.

ROSENTHAL—Hyman, in his 74th year. Services at Meyers's funeral parlors, 228 Lenox Av., Tuesday, Dec. 28, 9:30 A. M.

RYAN—Delia, beloved sister of Margaret Ryan and aunt of Mrs. Gertrude Keogh and Joseph J. and George A. Malone. Funeral from her late residence, 432 East 58th St., on Wednesday at 9 A. M., thence to the Church of St. John the Evangelist, 55th St. and 1st Av., where a solemn high requiem mass will be offered for the repose of her soul.

Died.

SCHWARTZ—On Dec. 27, 1920, after a short illness, at her residence, 286 East 34th St., Flatbush, Regina (nee Geiger), beloved wife of Leon and mother of Celia Schworzreich, Edward, Julia Isaacs, Sally Brill, Charles J., Rose Monash and Anna. Interment private. Philadelphia papers please copy.

SENF—Josephine Acker, wife of Curt H. Senf of Moorsemere, N. J., on Dec. 26. Services The Funeral Church, B'way at 66th St., on Tuesday, Dec. 28, at 11 A. M.

SHEPARD—In Guilford, Conn., on Dec. 26, 1920, Mary H. Shepard, in the 83d year of her age. Funeral services will be held at her late residence, on Whitfield St., Wednesday afternoon at 2:30.

SMITH—J. Raymond, at his home, 802 West 181st St., after a brief illness, Monday, Dec. 27, 1920, in his 81st year. Funeral Wednesday, 11 A. M. Interment private.

SPENCER—At St. John's Hospital, on Monday, Dec. 27, 1920, Mary A., daughter of the late John H. and Agnes A. Spencer. Funeral services in the chapel of the Central Congregational Church, Hancock St., near Bedford Av., Brooklyn, Wednesday, Dec. 29, 1920, at 2:30 P. M. Interment private.

SUSTE-KRISTIC—Anna, on Sunday, Dec. 26, at her residence, 421 West 44th St. Funeral Wednesday, Dec. 29, at 9:30 A. M., thence to Holy Cross Church, West 42d St., where a solemn requiem mass will be offered. Interment Mount Olivet.

TAPLIN—At New Rochelle, N. Y., Dec. 27, Sophia Stead, beloved wife of James Steele Taplin. Funeral from late residence, 113 Union Av., New Rochelle, N. Y., Wednesday, Dec. 29, 11 A. M. Interment private.

UNDERHILL—On Dec. 27, 1920, Gardiner F. Underhill of Larchmont, N. Y. Funeral services at Davis Chapter, 226 Huguenot St., New Rochelle, N. Y., on Wednesday morning at 11 o'clock.

WESTERVELT—At Cresskill, N. J., Dec. 27, 1920, Edwin B., husband of Margaret A. Westervelt, in his 60th year. Funeral services at his late residence on Wednesday, Dec. 29, at 2:30 P. M.

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Lies the one we love so dearly,
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NATIONAL CONTROL OF BOXING PLANNED

Delegates From Many States to Join in Conference Here Next Month.

WILL STANDARDIZE RULES

Champions May Be Compelled to Defend Titles at Stated Intervals in New Arrangement.

Plans for the elevation and improvement of professional boxing throughout the country, to a point where the sport will be above and beyond the objectionable features which have affected it in the past, will be adopted at a meeting which will be held at the headquarters of the International Sporting Club in West Forty-second Street Jan. 10, 11 and 12. At this session the formation of a national governing body to supervise and direct the conduct of the sport throughout the nation will be undertaken, and a program of changes in present conditions will be adopted which, it is expected will improve the sport itself and its surroundings.

The session will be attended by delegates appointed by Governors of eighteen States where boxing is permitted under law and representatives of other centres where professional bouts are conducted under local option. The delegates, in the course of the three-day session, will not only lay the foundation of the proposed national organization, but will also adopt rules and regulations for the standardization of professional boxing throughout the United States.

Among the States whose Governors have appointed representatives for the meeting are New York, Ohio, Pennsylvania, Massachusetts, Maryland, New Jersey, Connecticut, Colorado, Wisconsin, Montana, Minnesota, Oregon, West Virginia, Louisiana, Washington, Florida, Tennessee and Oklahoma. This group includes all States where boxing is legalized. Several other States where the sport is permitted under local option will have representation, but the States represented by officially appointed delegates will show the way in the formation of the proposed national governing body.

Will Absorb Older Board.

The contemplated organization will absorb the Army, Navy and Civilian Board of Boxing Control. In the final analysis the body which will soon be installed is but an outgrowth of the Army, Navy and Civilian Board and the ideals and plans of the latter organization will be developed and improved with the new institution, according to present plans. Plans will be discussed which are calculated to elevate the professional ring sport to a plane never before experienced in the history of boxing in this country. Evils which have corrupted boxing in the past, or which were indirectly responsible for the disrepute which has tenaciously attached to the sport under conditions which prevailed before the advent of the present concerted effort for an improvement, will be eliminated with the adoption of legislative measures planned for the coming meeting, in the opinion of prominent devotees of clean, wholesome boxing, identified with the current movement.

William A. Gavin, Managing Director of the International Sporting Club, one of the prime moving spirits in the present campaign for improvement, in discussing the proposition yesterday declared that it was the intention of the delegates to standardize boxing rules in every State in the Union, to adopt a joint retroactive agreement to bar any delinquent or offending boxers simultaneously in all States in the event of suspension by the National Association. Such a condition exists at present in several of the States where the sport is legalized, but a majority of the States do not recognize penalties for infractions of the law in other States, and the result is a loss of the power which will be in effect under the new organization.

Holders of championship titles will be compelled to defend their laurels at stated periods, the intervals to be fixed under conditions which the majority determine reasonable at the coming meeting. Failure to abide by this rule will result in the forfeiture of his title by the champion affected. It is planned, also, to advocate the abolition of enormous purses and to adopt a scale of admission prices to be operative all over the country, which, in the estimation of the governing officials, is reasonable. Another contemplated improvement provides for the prohibition of taking moving pictures of bouts. These proposed changes will be advocated and probably adopted at the coming meeting as for the best interest of the sport. The ring devotees back of the present campaign are almost undivided in the opinion that the introduction of inflated purses with a resultant rise in the charges of admission to important ring contests, and the film feature invariably associated with the leading battles are in great measure responsible for the antagonism attracted to boxing by opponents of the sport, and are determined to eliminate these features.

International Code May Follow.

When the new organization has attained an operative state it is planned to adopt a program of co-operation with the governing boxing bodies of other nations, with the idea of having one international code for the government of boxing, calculated to make the sport clean, wholesome, humane and qualified for the plane to which it is planned to elevate the professional ring game. It is expected that the formation of a national governing body, in addition to uplifting boxing and improving the conduct of the sport, will attract favor from the newly-elected Governors of such States as have not now sanctioned legalized professional ring matches and those executives whose attitudes are understood to be antagonistic to the sport because of the unsatisfactory conditions which have invariably surrounded it.

It is impossible to state, with any degree of positive assurance, just who will head the proposed new body. Information on this point is not yet available, nor has there been any intimation on the personnel of other executives of the organization which it is planned to form. It is planned, however, to install as President a man of national reputation and a prominent figure in sport. Tex O'Rourke, matchmaker of the International Sporting Club, will be Secretary, according to present plans. The official title under which the organization will function will be determined in the course of the forthcoming meeting.

The conference, which will be held at the I. S. C. headquarters, is the culmination of an extended period of correspondence, and in some instances, personal conferences between officials of the International Sporting Club and Governors of the different States which will be represented by delegates at the session. For more than six months the I. S. C. has been directing its attention to this task, which was one of the objectives stipulated when the organization of the Army, Navy and Civilian Board of Boxing Control gave support to the campaign for a restoration of boxing in this State.

Each delegate at the coming meeting will be in possession of written authority to represent his State in the conference and to act for his State in the formation of the national body. The delegates, further, will be vested with power to recommend necessary changes in their respective laws, so as to conform with the rules and regulations adopted by the national organization upon their return home.

Marquette to Play Notre Dame.

MILWAUKEE, Dec. 27.—The athletic board of Marquette University today scheduled a football game with Notre Dame to be played in Milwaukee on Nov. 14, 1921. This will be the first time since 1914 that these two teams have met. Marquette and Notre Dame played three tie games and the local team was defeated in a fourth contest.

Ohio State and California Elevens Drill at Pasadena

PASADENA, Cal., Dec. 27.—Hard, snappy practice was the program today for the football squads from Ohio State University and the University of California, here preparing for the annual East vs. West contest at Tournament Park on New Year's Day. After two days of rest, the teams got down to hard labor in their first workout this afternoon, and tried out their wind and endurance under the conditions of climate and field confronting them here.

RICHARDS ADVANCES IN INDOOR TOURNEY

Titleholder Defeats Bernstein in Initial Match of Junior Championship Event.

Play was started yesterday at the Seventh Regiment Armory in two tournaments for national championships in indoor tennis, the first of the indoor season in which a title has been at stake.

In the junior indoor title event the present champion, Vincent Richards of Fordham, won his initial match easily. He defeated a skillful player in M. Bernstein, one of the best of the local boys, who has acquitted himself with distinction in outdoor play. Richards, who is playing the last indoor junior event which his age will permit him to enter, won both sets by decisive scores. He allowed his opponent but two games in the whole match. Richards looks to be in good form and has evidently had the benefit of a good opportunity for indoor practice. Bernstein, clever though he is, had no chance with Richards at any time in the proceedings.

A leading contender for the honors now held by Richards is Charles M. Woods Jr., who formerly held the boys' national indoor title. Woods made a good beginning in the tournament by defeating Paul Hicks of Yale in straight sets, scored 6—1, 6—4. Hicks played a good game in the second set, but never had a real chance against Woods. Sheridan of Yale sprang something of a surprise when he defeated John J. Blush, the University of Pennsylvania expert, in straight sets at 6—2, 6—2. Blush had been considered to have an excellent chance of remaining to the final, but Sheridan was altogether too speedy for him.

Aydelotte, who learned his game in California and has many of the good habits of the Coast players, particularly in the severity with which he delivers his overhead strokes, had an easy time winning from Bradley of Pleasantville in two sets, in both of which he allowed his opponent but a single game. Aydelotte is now a member of the Horace Mann tennis team, having transferred his allegiance here from the Pacific Coast schools.

The play in general yesterday was of a high order, especially considering the poor light which was afforded.

In the matches for the boys' championship, one of the favorites to advance was Grevel Acker of Jamaica, who defeated Howard Lesser, a Manhattan player, in straight sets, 6—2, 6—2.

The summaries:

Junior National Indoor Singles Championship.

Second Round, Upper Half—D. R. Bradley, Pleasantville, defeated Livingston Marchant, 6—2, 6—3; J. J. Tucker, Horace Mann, defeated Edgar P. Snow, Irving School, 6—1, 6—1; Harry Pickells, Flushing, defeated Louis H. Rouillon, Harvard School, 6—2, 6—2; Ernest Kuhn, George Washington, defeated Caspar H. Nannes, 6—3, 9—7; Arthur Orth defeated George Case, George Washington, 6—1, 6—2.

First Round—Valentine Cress, Horace Mann, defeated Jesse Sonn, Fordham, 6—3, 3—6, 6—1; Charles M. Woods Jr. defeated Paul de F. Hicks, Yale, 6—1, 6—4; Jerry Lang, New York and George Washington University, defeated Chapman Haff, Commercial High, 6—4, 9—7; Franklin Osgood, Pleasantville, defeated David D. Hedekin, St. Paul's, 6—3, 6—1; C. F. Mathey defeated Leslie Rosenthal, De Witt Clinton, 6—4, 6—3; Arthur K. Glore, New York Tennis Club, defeated K. C. Fay, Horace Mann, 4—6, 9—7, 7—5; W. M. Aydelotte, Horace Mann, defeated Arnold Bradley, Pleasantville, 6—1, 6—1; Jack Cronin defeated Arthur Reynolds, Fordham University, 6—4, 4—6, 6—1; A. B. Sheridan, Yale, defeated John Pollock, 6—2, 6—4.

Second Round, Lower Half—Sheridan defeated John J. Blush, University of Pennsylvania, 6—2, 6—2; A. L. Hopkins, Yale, defeated Paul S. McHugh, 6—1, 6—4; W. R. Hicks, Peddie, defeated A. Epstein, College of the City of New York, 6—4, 6—4; Vincent Richards, Fordham, defeated M. Bernstein, 6—0, 6—2; Willis Geis, St. Paul's, defeated Eugene Stein, 6—8, 10—8, by default; Parke Cummings, Harvard, defeated C. G. Hurd, Hotchkiss, 6—4, 6—2.

Boy's Indoor Championship Singles.

Second Round, Upper Half—Louis H. Rouillon, Harvard School, defeated Carl E. Schuster, Horace Mann, 6—0, 6—0; William Einsmann defeated Palmer Sealy, West Side, 6—3, 6—2; David D. Hedekin, St. Paul's, defeated V. C. Bloom, 6—2, 6—3.

First Round—Paul O'Brien, Exeter, defeated Stanley Noble, Yonkers, 8—6, 6—3; J. C. Judge 2d, Erasmus, defeated Richard Dodge, Yonkers, 6—4, 4—6, 8—6; Grevel Acker, Jamaica, defeated Howard Lesser, Townsend Harris Hall, 6—2, 6—2; Alan Weissman, Townsend Harris Hall, defeated Austin G. Block, De Witt Clinton, 6—3, 6—4; Sidney J. Gittler, Townsend Harris Hall defeated Fred Gretsch Jr., West Side, 6—2, 6—2.

Second Round, Lower Half—Fred Gretsch Jr., defeated William F. Mohan Jr., West Side, 6—3, 6—0; Herbert D. Beaman, Townsend Harris Hall, defeated Arnold M. Kashowitz, De Witt Clinton, 6—2, 6—2; William Noble defeated Eugene H. McCauliff, Fordham, 6—2, 6—0.

MOORE TO SUB FOR MOORE.

Roy Will Take Pal's Place Against Sharkey in Tomorrow's Bout.

Pal Moore, the Memphis bantamweight who was scheduled to engage Jack Sharkey of the west side in the principal bout of fifteen rounds tomorrow night at Madison Square Garden, was forced to cancel the match yesterday because of illness. The Southern boxer notified Promoter Tex Rickard in a message from Chicago, that an infection of one of his ears compelled him to call off the bout. The Garden promoter immediately began negotiations for a suitable substitute to tackle Sharkey and secured Roy Moore, St. Paul bantamweight, who was a participant in one of the preliminary ten-round bouts at the recent Joe Lynch-Pete Herman match. The St. Paul Moore, on that occasion, knocked out Jimmy Martin in the first round. Tomorrow night's meeting will mark the second clash between Sharkey and Moore.

The remainder of the card will be unchanged. In the semi-final ten-round bout Panama Joe Gans and Sailor Darden, colored middleweights, will be the principals. Tommy Elm of Paterson, N. J., and Charlie Pilkington, former amateur lightweight champion, will clash in the other ten-round bout. In this bout Pilkington is substituting for Earl Baird, who was originally matched against Elm. The six-round encounter will bring together Packey O'Gatty and Dick Atkins of Toronto, Canada.

Zuna to Run at Philadelphia.

Frank Zuna, Paulist A. C. distance runner, and a member of the 1920 Olympic team, yesterday obtained permission from the Metropolitan A. A. U. to compete outside the district territorial limits. Zuna plans to participate in a road race at Philadelphia New Year's Day, and under the A. A. U. rules was compelled to apply for permission to leave the district for competition before making the trip to the Quaker City.

Clinton Is Winner of Bout.

BOSTON, Dec. 27.—Johnny Clinton, New York lightweight, defeated Johnny Downes of Cleveland tonight in the sixth round, when the referee stopped the match, which had been scheduled for ten rounds. Downes was not knocked out, but had taken considerable punishment.

PLAY FOR DAVIS CUP POSTPONED BY RAIN

Tilden vs. Brookes and Johnston vs. Patterson Is Tomorrow's Program.

AUCKLAND, New Zealand, Dec. 28.—The first match in the challenge round of the Davis Cup tennis tournament, which was to have been played today, has been postponed until tomorrow owing to rain.

Announcement was made today of the drawings for pay. In the singles Norman E. Brookes of the Australian team will meet William T. Tilden 2d, the world's singles champion, and Gerald L. Patterson, Australia, will play William M. Johnston, the California expert.

On the second day's play, Brookes and Patterson will play against Johnston and Tilden in the doubles, and on the final day Brookes will meet Johnston and Patterson will play Tilden in singles matches.

Something of a surprise was contained in the announcement that Norman E. Brookes, captain of the Australasian Davis Cup team, had nominated himself for competition in the singles in the challenge round. It was thought that he would elect Rodney W. Heath or O'Hara Wood to the task and save himself for the doubles. Brookes, playing now in his ninth Davis Cup competition since 1905, must have felt a return to the form that has always made him formidable in these matches. He must have improved considerably since last Summer when he was twice defeated in tournament play by Hawkes, who had not previously been considered in the top flight of Australasian players, and who is not a member of the team that will meet the Americans.

In the meeting of Brookes and Tilden the American should win. He has youth in his favor and quite as complete a mastery of strokes as the Australasian wizard. The American's répertoire is larger, as a matter of fact. No player ever lived with quite the versatility of strokes that Tilden showed on the courts last Summer when he earned the championship of the world. He has not Brookes's experience or tournament temperament. But the advantage of youth should more than offset this fact. Tilden, if he starts poorly, should be able to extend the match into five sets, and in an encounter of that length his powers of endurance should tell over the veteran. If the match had occurred half a dozen seasons ago, conceiving that both could have been at the top of their form at that time, Brookes would have been the favorite. As the conditions are today, the advantage in form is all the other way. Tilden has superiority in speed and resourcefulness and he should have the better of the argument in the highly important element of stamina.

The first break in the tie will have a great effect on the final result. Tilden and Brookes have met once before in tournament competition. This was at the national championship at Forest Hills in 1919. Tilden eliminated Brookes in that tournament and Johnston eliminated Patterson. Conditions may be so different at Auckland that the result of the earlier meeting will be reversed. But such an eventuality will be a distinct upheaval of form.

The match between Johnston and Patterson should be close. The American had but the smallest possible advantage over the Australasian when they met at Forest Hills. But he is a greater emergency player that Patterson. He is far and away the finest volleyer in the world, and that goes for Tilden as well as anybody else. Patterson is not in his class in that respect. Patterson is an aggressive player, but in any battle for position at the net he is no match for Johnston. Moreover, Johnston invariably plays better against an opponent on the second or third meeting than on the first. He always makes good use of his opportunity to study an opponent's special tactics and characteristics. If he is in form, he should win over Patterson with a fair margin to spare.

PILKINGTON BEATS SMITH.

Gains Judges' Decision in Twelve-Round Bout at Star S. C.

Charlie Pilkington, former amateur lightweight champion, added another professional success to his record last night at the Star Sporting Club, where he gained the judges' decision over Happy Smith of Yorkville in the stellar twelve-round bout. The former amateur boxer, displaying superior speed, cleverness and ability to land damaging punches, clearly earned the decision on points. Pilkington, with the speed and cleverness which were his chief characteristics in the amateur ring, set a lively pace for his rival and this, together with the assortment of blows rained on him, caused Smith to weaken perceptibly as the bout progressed.

Pilkington accomplished his greatest work with a left hand jab which landed with annoying regularity and was not infrequently followed by a right cross which made Smith cautious. The weights were: Pilkington, 130 pounds; Smith, 132.

Johnny Rosner, Harlem flyweight, who was the first American victim of the punching power of Jimmy Wilde, engaged Mickey Nelson of Harlem in the other twelve-round bout. At the final gong the judges decided in favor of Rosner. This contest was a lively one, but throughout Rosner appeared to advantage and accumulated a safe lead in points. Rosner weighed 110 pounds and Nelson 105.

RICKARD SIGNS JACKSON.

Lightweight to Fight in Garden on Jan. 7—Opponent Not Selected.

Unless the available supply of suitable opponents gives out, Willie Jackson, Bronx lightweight, will appear in the principal fifteen-round bout at Madison Square Garden on Jan. 7. Promoter Tex Rickard has secured Jackson's consent to a match and is at present negotiating for a formidable rival for the Bronx boxer. Johnny Dundee was offered the bout, according to Promoter Rickard, but the Italian placed a prohibitive percentage figure on his services and has been eliminated. An effort is now being made to arrange a meeting between Jackson and either Mickey Donley of Newark, or Knockout George Chaney, of Baltimore. In the event that this match falls through Promoter Rickard plans to arrange a meeting between Tom Gibbons, brother of the once redoubtable Mike, and Harry Greb, Pittsburgh light-heavyweight.

BOGASH IS BOUT WINNER.

Stops Sammy Good in the Fifth Round in New Haven Ring.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Dec. 27.—Louis Bogash of Bridgeport, welterweight champion of Connecticut, scored a technical knockout over Sammy Good of California in what was to have been a 15-round bout here tonight. The referee stopped the fray at the end of the fifth round, after Bogash had severely punished the Californian.

Mickey Travers of New Haven was given the referee's decision over Kid Kaplan of Meriden at the end of a 10-round contest.

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GIANTS WILL HAVE TWO TRAINING BASES

Team to Stop at Another Southern City After Leaving San Antonio on March 18.

The sojourn of the Giants at their training camp in San Antonio next Spring is to be of less than three weeks' duration. According to an announcement made yesterday by Secretary O'Brien, the McGraw troupe will bid farewell to the Alamo City on the night of Friday, March 18. As the players are not to begin training until March 1, or possibly a few days before this date, the San Antonio campaign will not be as long as those of recent years at the Giants' training base.

With the announcement of the getaway date at San Antonio there was revealed another change from the training schedules of the Giants in recent years. Instead of having but one training base in Dixie, McGraw has decided upon two. The team will be engaged in travel for about ten days after leaving the Alamo City and then will settle down for a stay of one week in one of the cities of the Southern Association. While in this city, which has been decided upon but not announced as yet, the Giants will have the usual morning practice which is not possible when a team is making daily jumps, and each afternoon MGraw's men will engage in an exhibition game.

Manager McGraw has decided upon this training system as the ideal method of returning home from Texas. A year ago the Giants engaged in daily exhibition games for a space of three weeks and the tour exacted its physical toll of the players, who were tired out when the season opened. The arrangement decided upon for the 1921 campaign allows the players to get away from Texas after three weeks of work under the torrid sun, play a few exhibition games, get more practice, and likewise, rest, by a week's visit at one city, and then finish the jaunt homeward by easy stages, with an exhibition game each day.

Will Play Indians at Dallas.

The schedule for the first week of travel following the departure from San Antonio was announced yesterday by Secretary O'Brien. The first stop of the tourists will be at Dallas, where McGraw's men will hook up with the world's champion Cleveland Indians on Saturday and Sunday, March 19 and 20, respectively. On Monday the Giants will be at Fort Worth, on Tuesday and Wednesday, March 22 and 23, at Houston, and on Thursday, March 24, at Galveston. In these cities the Polo Grounds aggregation will play exhibition games with representative Texas League teams. On March 25 the McGrawmen will meet Connie Mack's Athletics in a game at Lake Charles, La., where the Mackmen will train, and thence the tour continues to New Orleans for games on Saturday and Sunday, March 26 and 27, with the Southern Association team representing the Crescent City. While the Giants are performing at New Orleans, the training base of the Robins, the latter team will be on a visit to the Yankees' training camp at Shreveport.

From New Orleans the Giants will go into their second training camp. When the work is completed here McGraw's men will join with Clark Griffith's Senators and engage in a few games while working their way northward. Washington probably will be the scene of two games previous to the opening of the season, and it is expected that the Senators will play two exhibition games at the Polo Grounds on Saturday, March 9, and Sunday, March 10. The Yankees are scheduled to perform on these dates at Ebbets Field.

A report was sent out a short time ago that the Giants and Yankees were to come together at Knoxville, Tenn., while traveling North, but officials of both clubs have made it plain that the teams will not meet in the Spring. They are hopeful of a clash in the Fall for world's championship honors, but that is some distance away. At any rate, there will be no exhibition games between the Giants and Yankees in the Spring. The McGrawmen will devote their interleague activity to the series with the Senators, while the Hugmen will play the usual schedule with the Robins in the South, en route home and at Ebbets Field.

Many Youngsters Released.

The task of reducing the New York roster to training-camp size is about completed. With the purchase of several players during the latter part of the 1920 campaign, it became necessary to release numerous players who had been carried along on optional agreement during the season. It will be recalled that McGraw had an unusually large number of recruits at San Antonio last Spring, but only two or three of these youngsters will make a return visit to the Alamo City. It has been decided that Pitchers Virgil Barnes and Jim Garton are worthy of another trial and both will be taken back. Catcher W. G. White, who was released to Waterbury last Spring and later played independent ball in Canada, may also be included in the 1921 training camp roster. White showed remarkable development during the season after a poor start.

The other youngsters have been disposed of as follows:

Pitchers—Reynolds Kelly to Oakland, H. W. Burfiend to Toledo, Sterling Stryker to Indianapolis, Paul Johnson to Charleston, James McQuade and Colonel L. Snover unconditionally. Infielders—Al White to Oakland, George Armstrong to St. Paul, James E. Cooney to Milwaukee, John H. Horle, Frank Maguire and Harry Moyer unconditionally. Outfielders—Emmons J. Bowen to Toledo, Henry E. Bates to Pittsfield.

Cincinnati is the one big league city where Babe Ruth has not performed, and the officials of the Redland club are planning to have the big event during the 1921 season. Business Manager Frank Bancroft has requested that the schedule makers leave an open date for the Reds at a time when the Yankees may be idle in the West so that a game can be arranged. It is probable that Bancroft's request will be granted if it is possible so to juggle dates for the two clubs.

Pittsburgh fans got their first view of the Mauling Mastodon last year and they crowded Forbes Field until the stands groaned under the pressure. Brooklyn saw Babe in action while he was with the Red Sox, before he became the king of home-run hitters, and the Colossus of Clout was on exhibition at Ebbets Field last Spring after he had set a record of 29 homers. Only Cincinnati of the big league set has not been able to welcome the king of all hitters, so Redland pleads for the opportunity.

Dan Howley, battery coach of the Tigers in 1919, gave way a year ago to Jack Coombs, and now Jack gives way to his predecessor. Ty Cobb, new boss of the Tigers, evidently has been impressed by Howley's skill as a handler of pitchers, and he lost no time in bringing Dan back into the fold. As Cobb will have little time to devote to the work, Howley probably will be entrusted with the daily task of picking the pitcher most likely to hold down the opposing team.

ATHLETICS SELL PLAYER.

Dick Burrus, First Baseman, Bought by the Columbus Club.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 27.—Dick Burrus, the first baseman who was recruited by the Philadelphia American League club from Columbia, S. C., two years ago, has been sold outright to the Columbus club of the American Association, it was announced today by Manager Connie Mack. He added that it was a straight cash transaction, no other players figuring in the deal.

Casey Signs as Coach.

ALLIANCE, Ohio, Dec. 27. — Eddie Casey, Captain of the 1919 Harvard football team, today signed to coach the Mount Union College football squad for three years. He coached Mount Union this season.

Horemans to Meet Slosson In Three-Day Billiard Match

Arrangements were completed by telegram yesterday afternoon for an 18.2 balkline billiard match between Edouard Horemans and George Slosson, to be played at Boston on Jan. 6, 7 and 8. They will play 2,400 points in blocks of 400 points each in afternoon and evening sessions. The net receipts of the match will be divided, 65 per cent. to the winner and 35 per cent. to the loser. Negotiations for the match have been pending for some time. Although Slosson has not been very active in public competition for the last year, he still ranks as one of the leading professional players in this country and should put Horemans to a real test. Slosson's last public appearance in this city was a year ago last October when he played in the national balkline tournament against Willie Hoppe.

M. I. T. WINS MATCH IN CHESS TOURNEY

Massachusetts Team, Newcomer in Triangular League, Takes Opener from Penn.

For the first time in the history of the Triangular College Chess League, which began its twenty-second annual meeting at the rooms of the Manhattan Chess Club yesterday morning, five colleges were represented, including Cornell, winner of the championship last year; Pennsylvania, City College, New York University and the Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

The New Englanders were the newcomers, and although playing with only three men made a splendid start by winning their first match from Pennsylvania, and making a good fight, though losing, in the second match with Cornell.

The champions from Ithaca, who had a bye in the first round, khen the match by a score of 2½ to 1½. The M. I. T. team disposed of Pennsylvania by 3—1, winning on all the boards, with the exception of No. 1, where they forfeited.

New York University played two tie matches, the first being against City College and the second against Pennsylvania, the score in each case being 2—2. City College drew the bye in the second round.

The list of players making up the five teams and their classes:

Cornell—N. Adelsberg, '21; H. Garfinkel, '22; L. H. Campbell, '24, and N. N. Gotthoffer, '22.

City College—A. Weisbord, '21; H. Sternberg, '22; H. Grossman, '23, and H. Slochower, '23.

New York University—D. Bourgin, '22; L. Denonn, '25; A. A. Cohen, '22, and B. Glassberg, '22; J. Zatulove, 22, reserve.

Pennsylvania—R. S. Fraser, '22; E. G. Palacio, '21; F. L. Cooper, '24, and E. L. Rosenberg, '22. H. Everding, '24, reserve.

Massachusetts Institute of Technology—R. F. Lyon, '21; S. Nelson, '21; C. Thumim, '21, and J. Brimberg, '23.

At the close of the second round the M. I. T. team had a total number of 4½ points, New York University 4, Pennsylvania 3, Cornell 2½ and City College 2. Both Cornell and City College had played only one match apiece owing to byes.

Of the Massachusetts players S. Nelson won both of his games, while C. Thumim scored 1½ points out of two. J. Brimberg won a game and lost one. For New York University L. Denonn scored twice and A. A. Cohen and P. Zatulove one apiece. R. S. Fraser, at Board No. 1, was the most useful player on the U. of P. team, winning both of his games. H. Everding was the other winner. Cornell, playing but one match, had victory contributed by H. Adelsberg and N. N. Gotthoffer. The winners on the City College team were A. Weisbord and H. Slochower.

The summaries:

Boards. N. Y. U.		Boards. C. C. N. Y.	
1—D. Bourgin	0	1—A. Weisbord	1
2—L. Dennon	1	2—H. Sternberg	0
3—A. A. Cohen	1	3—H. Grossman	0
4—B. Glassberg	0	4—H. Slochower	1
Total	2	Total	2

City College played white on the odd-numbered boards. The openings: 1, Giuoco piano; 2, queen's gambit declined; 3, irregular; 4, queen's pawn.

M. I. T.		PENNSYLVANIA.	
1—R. F. Lyon	0	1—R. S. Fraser	1
2—S. Nelson	1	2—F. G. Palacio	0
3—C. Thumim	1	3—E. L. Copper	0
4—J. Brimberg	1	4—B. L. Rosenberg	0
Total	3	Total	1

M. I. T. played white on the odd-numbered boards. The openings: 1, absent; 2, French defense; 3, centre counter; 4, French defense.

PENNSYLVANIA.		N. Y. U.	
1—R. S. Fraser	1	1—D. Bourgin	0
2—F. G. Palacio	0	2—L. Dennon	1
3—E. L. Cooper	0	3—J. Zatulove	1
4—H. Everding	1	4—B. Glassberg	0
Total	2	Total	2

New York University played white on the odd-numbered boards. The openings: 1, queen's gambit declined; 2, Scotch gambit; 3, Ruy Lopez; 4, Scotch gambit.

CORNELL.		M. I. T.	
1—H. Adelsberg	1	1—R. F. Lyon	0
2—H. Garfinkel	0	2—S. Nelson	1
3—L. H. Campbell	½	3—C. Thumim	½
4—N. N. Gotthoffer	1	4—J. Brimberg	0
Total	2½	Total	1½

M. I. T. played white on the odd-numbered boards. The openings: 1, absent; 2, French defense; 3, king's bishop's opening; 4, French defense.

In the third round, to be contested this morning, the pairing will be: N. Y. University vs. Cornell and City College vs. Pennsylvania; M. I. T. a bye.

Columbia, Harvard, Yale and Princeton will begin their twenty-eighth annual chess tournament at the Manhattan Chess Club at 2 o'clock this afternoon. Columbia, last year's winner, will meet Harvard and Yale will encounter Princeton, both matches being on four boards. The sessions of play will be from 2 P. M. to 6 P. M. and, if necessary, from 8 P. M. to 10 P. M.

TO INVESTIGATE HOCKEY.

U. S. Amateur League to Probe Reports of Rough Playing.

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 27.—William S. Haddock, President of the United States Amateur Hockey League, announced today that he will investigate reports of rough and unseemly playing in the game here last Tuesday evening between the Granites of the Ontario Hockey Association and the Pittsburgh club of the United States Amateur Hockey League. Mr. Haddock said that Link Madden, who refereed the game, will be summoned for an interview some time this week.

The games played here last Monday and Tuesday were only exhibition games, but all exhibition contests in which a member of the United States Amateur Hockey Association participates must be sanctioned by the league, Mr. Haddock announced.

The Pittsburgh players, Mr. Haddock continued, are only playing under provisional approval by the association and the line-up for league games will not be given until the status of certain players, which is being investigated by the Executive Committee, is determined.

Roy D. Schooley, Secretary-Treasurer of the association, today issued full amateur cards to the following Cleveland members: John P. Dietz, Vernon Wilbert Turner, Alfred H. Holman, Elmer A. Irving, Robert Jenks, Clarence Jamieson, James Cree, Joseph Debernardi, Ustin Wilkie and Francis J. Winters.

The Cleveland club also made applications for Eugene Boucher, formerly of Quebec, and Nelson Stewart of Parkdale, Canada. Their cases have been referred to the Canadian Amateur Hockey Association.

Applications have been received from twenty-nine members of the Harvard University club, and the Yale hockey club and the Boston Shoe Trades club have also applied for admission. All applications will be passed upon this week in order that the decks may be cleared for the opening of the championship season the first of the year.

The playing schedule of Group 3 was approved. The group is made up of Sault Ste Marie (American Soo), Sault Ste. Marie (Canadian Soo), Calumet, Mich., Houghton, Mich., and Eveleth, Minn.

BAPTIE WINNER OF ICE-SKATING MATCH

Veteran Defeats Don Baker in Two Out of Three Races at Local Rink.

Norval Baptie, skating champion, who retired undefeated two years ago, celebrated his return to the competitive ranks last night at the 181st Street Ice Palace by winning a match race with Don Baker, the New York speed specialist. The two skaters met in three events—at 220 yards, 440 yards and one mile—and Baptie took two of the three races, losing only the furlong sprint. Baptie is out to meet Bobby McLean, Mathiesen or any other skater who disputes his claim as the world's champion, and he announced last night that he would take on all comers as speedily as possible.

In the double furlong race, which was the first of the three races contested. Baker set the pace for half the distance, and then Baptie went to the front, holding the lead to the finish. He was less than two yards ahead of his rival as he crossed the finish line after five fast laps. The races were held over a track measuring twenty laps to the mile.

In the 220-yard race Baker led from start to finish. He got away fast as the gun barked its starting signal and Baptie was not able to pass him in the two and one-half laps. The two skaters were less than two feet apart at the end of the race.

In the mile race the two contestants alternated in setting the pace up to the eighteenth lap. Then, with only two laps to go, Baptie went to the front and quickly opened up a gap of about eight yards, which he was able to hold to the finish. Baker showed signs of his previous exertions, while Baptie appeared as strong at the finish as he had been in the earlier races.

The race, which was the first between professionals to be held in this city in some years, drew a crowd which filled the 181st Street Ice Palace to capacity.

Amateurs also had their opportunity to show speed, two events being carded for the simon pures of the steel blade. In a two-mile race for Class A skaters Bobby Hearn of the Tremont Sporting Club, who had an allowance of 25 yards, won by the narrow margin of two yards from Joe Moore of the home rink. Moore fell after skating half the distance in this event and lost many yards as a result. He showed great speed after regaining his feet and gradually was closing up the gap which Hearn had opened. He was still two yards behind, however, at the finish. In this race a field of twenty started and four judges were unable to agree upon the third place skater. As a result of this uncertainty no decision was made.

Class B skaters indulged in a race of one and one-half miles and the victory went to G. Hilskey, who enjoyed a handicap of 45 yards. Twenty-two contended for honors in this event.

The summaries:

220 Yards—Won by Don Baker; Norval Baptie, second. Time—0:21 4-5.

440 Yards—Won by Baptie; Baker, second. Time—0:42 2-5.

One Mile—Won by Baptie; Baler, second. Time—3:34 1-5.

Two-Mile Handicap, Amateur—Won by Bobby Hearn, Tremont Skating Club (25 yards); Joe Moore, 181st St. Ice Palace (scratch), second; third place undecided. Time—7:15 2-5.

One-and-One-Half-Mile Handicap, Amateur, Class B—Won by G. Nilsgy (45 yards); J. Smith (20 yards), second; D. McCall (40 yards), third. Time—6:00 2-5.

HOREMANS WINS EASILY.

Belgian Defeats Mayer in Opening Blocks of Billiard Match.

Although the weather conditions were anything but ideal for the best billiards, Edouard Horemans, the Belgian, made a decidedly impressive showing in his first match against an American professional in this section of the country when he won the first two blocks of his 1,600-point 18.2 balkline match against Joseph Mayer at the Rational Recreation Academy in Brooklyn yesterday afternoon and last night. Horemans won the matinee game by a score of 400 to 109. Last night he won by 400 to 116, making the total score to date, Horemans 800, Mayer 225. The final two blocks of the match will be played this afternoon and tonight.

While there were no exceptionally high runs or particularly big averages, Horemans's all-around playing was of a very high order. In the afternoon his best run was a cluster of 99 and his average was 25. Mayer's best run was 60 and his average 7 4-15. Horemans also had runs of 63, 59 and 49. In the evening the Belgian's best effort netted him 110, with smaller bunches of 67, 55, 51 and 41. His average was 30 10-13. Mayer's high run was 32 and his average 9 8 12.

Mayer, who formerly held the national amateur championship, but who turned professional several years ago, was decidedly off his game. He is capable of playing much better billiards than he showed against the foreigner, but for some reason or other he was unable to get going in his normal stride. This may have been due to the fact that he was compelled to sit idly by while Horemans was making his sizable runs. In this way Mayer was "cold" when he got his turns at the table.

The outstanding feature of Horemans's work was his nursing. For long stretches he held the balls together in the open space and showed a delicacy of stroke and judgment of speed that proved he is a master player. His massés, too, were very impressive. Several times during each of the blocks the Belgian made massés that caused the big gallery to break into prolonged applause.

LA RUE WINS WITH CUE.

Outgenerals Bassi in National 3-Cushion Billiard Tourney.

As a result chiefly of his strong safety playing, George La Rue last night defeated Louis Bassi in the preliminary round of the national three-cushion tournament of the American Amateur Billiard Association at John Doyle's Academy. The score was 25 to 21. Both players used so much "oil" and employed so much deliberate safety that the game consumed fifty-nine innings. In spite of the fact that it was the slowest game in the tourney thus far, it was interesting because of the closeness of the score. At no time, until La Rue made five point in his last six innings, did either of the men enjoy a lead of more than two points and no less than eight times during the match the score was tied.

There was nothing spectacular about the playing of either man. Each had previously lost a game and was extremely cagey. They realized that another defeat meant virtual elimination and refused to take chances. The result was that the game was largely a battle of generalship with tight playing prevailing throughout.

The standing of the players follows:

Player	Won.	Lost.	P. C.
C. Adair	1	0	1000
H. Frisch	1	0	1000
J. Primakow	1	0	1000
F. Owles	1	0	1000
G. La Rue	1	1	.500
H. Frantsen	1	1	.500
L. Bassi	0	2	.000
R. Smith	0	2	.000

MANY RIVALS FOR TITLES.

State Champions Will Defend Honors in Amateur Ring Tourney.

Cards of twenty bouts each night will be conducted on the occasion of the New York State amateur boxing championship tournament, which will be held Jan. 3 and 4 in Madison Square Garden, under the auspices of the Metropolitan A. A. U. The leading "simon pure" boxers of this city, Long Island, Buffalo and Albany will be included in the list of title competitors. Archie Walker, holder of the 135-pound title, and Sam Lagonia, 158-pound champion, will defend their titles in their respective divisions. Both are promised sterling competition, for a number of formidable rivals have been developed in the local district since the last State title tournament.

Benny Ponteau of the St. Christopher Club, district champion, who was runner-up for the national title and a member of the American Olympic boxing team, will be one of Walker's chief rivals. Louis Aldrin of the Norwegian Turn and A. C., former titleholder, and Bert Bostein of the Ninety-second Street Y. M. H. A., are also expected to provide stiff opposition to the champion.

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FEATURE RACE TO ANGON

Gentry Colt, Heavily Backed, Takes Mermentau Handicap by Head—Medusa Victor in Sixth.

Special to The New York Times.

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 27.—The favorites had an off day in the racing at Jefferson Park this afternoon. Only two real hot choices managed to plow through the heavy going and finish in front. In two of the five other events there were no outstanding public choices, but in the remaining three races horses that were quoted at lucrative prices flashed under the wire the winners. It was a day for good priced horses. In every instance but one horses that were quoted at better than even money finished in front. Included among the winners were an 8 to 1, 5 to 1, 4 to 1 and a 3 to 1 shot. The single exception was when Angon, quoted at 11 to 20, grabbed the featured race, the Mermentau Handicap.

The handicap was the fifth race on the program and was a five and a half furlong sprint for all ages. Four horses went to the post in this event, and Angon seemed to have so much the best on form that the public unloosened its purse strings to such an extent that L. Gentry's colt was finally held at the almost prohibitive odds of 11 to 20. In spite of the fact that Angon finally won the race, the running of the event caused many knees to quake. At no time did the money of those who had backed Angon appear to be safe, for Rapid Day came with a rush in the stretch and almost succeeded in taking the laurels. Angon won by a head with Rapid Day five lengths in front of Cock o' the Roost.

Angon Gets Away Fast.

Angon got away forwardly, breaking in second position with Cock o' the Roost showing the way. Jockey Murray, however, soon let Angon down and, under hard urging, moved into the lead. Rapid Day got away last and for a time appeared to be out of it, but Jockey Collins made a determined move on W. O. Stoner's four-year-old gelding and he came with a rush at the turn into the stretch. He quickly overhauled Cock o' the Roost and showed such a surprising burst of speed that it seemed he would overtake Angon and win. After showing impressive early speed Cock o' the Roost tired quickly in the stretch but managed to finish third, three lengths in front of Head Over Heels. The latter was always far back.

Medusa was the other favorite to score a victory. H. J. Harris's five-year-old mare took the sixth race, a claiming event, at a mile and seventy yards, for three-year-olds and upward. She won with great ease, finishing six lengths ahead of Betsy, which was a like distance in front of Kirstie's Cub. Medusa showed her best form and was well handled by Jockey Mooney. She took the lead just as soon as the barrier was sprung and moved into a long lead without delay. She held sway throughout the running and won as her rider pleased. Betsy ran gamely and was much the best of the others. Kirstie's Cub ran in improved form, and held on gamely when Walter Turnbow threatened near the end. After running half a mile Walter Turnbow moved up strongly and might have grabbed third place but for the fact that he got into deep going, which caused him to tire.

The form players got their first slap in the opening event when Tony Sutton, practically overlooked at odds of 8 to 1, took the five-and-a-half-furlong dash by half a length from the liberally supported favorite, Secretary. Repent was third, a length back. Tony Sutton liked the going and ran in his best form. He broke quickly and showed the most speed for the entire journey and held on well in the final drive. Secretary was slow to get under way, but once the favorite got started he closed strongly and came with a rush during the final eighth. G. Oddo's chestnut colt was running in fourth position as the horses turned into the stretch, with Sutton leading, Repent running second and Obstinate third. Secretary quickly passed Obstinate, which was quickly tiring from his early efforts and finally finished fifth. Secretary also overhauled Repent, but could not quite get up to Tony Sutton.

Ivanmist Wins by a Head.

A 5 to 1 shot scored in the second event. Ivanmist just managed to last long enough to win. The mare got away to a good start and moved into a fine lead. Jockey Smith kept his mount in the best of the going, but the mare tired badly in the stretch, winning by only a head from Madras Gingham. The latter closed a big gap and made a determined bid in the closing stages to get to the wire first. Sentimental, which carried most of the support at even money, was weakly handled by Jockey Mooney and was kept in the deepest part of the track. The favorite finished third, a length and a half back of Madras Gingham.

The favorite in the third race finished fourth. Tarascon was made the choice at 11 to 5, but was outrun during the first half and could not get up. Harry Burgoyne, at 9 to 2, managed to win under strong urging by Jockey Jarvis.

Another horse at a price captured the fourth race. Tan Son, at 4 to 1, was hard pressed by Petrarch and just lasted to win by a head. Petrarch finished a head in front of Undine. This race furnished the most stirring finish of the day. There was not a full length separating the first four horses as they flashed across the finish line.

The summaries:

FIRST RACE—For maiden two-year-olds; claiming; purse $700; five and a half furlongs. Tony Sutton, 108 pounds (Collins), 7 to 1, 5 to 2, 7 to 5, first; Secretary, 108 (Wida), 7 to 2, 7 to 5, 3 to 5, second; Repent, 100 (McDermott), 6 to 1, 2 to 1, even, third. Time—1:10 3-5. Echoland, Obstinate, Seaboard, Almirante, Calithump, Plato and Controit also ran.

SECOND RACE—For four-year-olds and upward; claiming; purse $600; six furlongs. Ivan Mist, 112 pounds (E. Smith), 5 to 1, 8 to 5, 7 to 10, first; Madras Gingham, 107 (Anthony), 10 to 1, 3 to 1, 6 to 5, second; Sentimental, 112 (Mooney), 6 to 5, 2 to 5, 1 to 5, third. Time—1:18. Circulate, Retreat, Ruvoco and Dalwood also ran.

THIRD RACE—For four-year-olds and upward; claiming; purse $600; six furlongs. Harry Burgoyne, 110 pounds (Mooney), 9 to 2, 8 to 5, 7 to 10, first; Valerie West, 107 (Borganowski), 7 to 1, 5 to 2, 6 to 5, second; Poultney, 115 (Burke), 3 to 1, even, 1 to 2, third. Time—1:17. Nolawn, Dancer, Early Sight, York Road, Tarascon and Pigeon also ran.

FOURTH RACE—For three-year-olds; claiming; purse $700; six furlongs. Tan Son, 113 pounds (Thurber), 4 to 1, 8 to 5, 7 to 10, first; Petrarch, 107 (Wright), 7 to 1, 5 to 2, even, second; Undine, 99 (McDermott), 3 to 1, even, 1 to 2, third. Time—1:16 2-5. Galiot, Alcatraz, Mary Head and Alberta S. also ran.

FIFTH RACE—The Mermentau Handicap; all ages; purse $1,000; five and a half furlongs. Angon, 128 pounds (Murray), 11 to 20, out, out, first; Rapid Day, 115 (Collins), 3 to 1, 2 to 5, out, second; Cock o' the Roost, 108 (Thurber), 6 to 1, even, out, third. Time—1:08. Head Over Heels also ran.

SIXTH RACE—For three-year-olds and upwards; claiming; purse $700; one mile and seventy yards. Medusa 103 pounds (Mooney), 7 to 5, 1 to 2, 1 to 5, first; Betsy, 108 (Ponce), 4 to 1, 8 to 5, 4 to 5, second; Kirsties Cub, 106 (Roberts), 7 to 2, 7 to 5, 7 to 10, third. Time—1:49 3-5. Kingling II., Lucius, Chick Barklay and Walter Turnbow also ran.

SEVENTH RACE—For three-year-olds and upward; claiming; purse $700; one mile and seventy yards. King Neptune, 111 pounds (Ponce), 3 to 1, 6 to 5, 3 to 5, first; Highland Lad, 111 (Murray), 4 to 1, 8 to 5, 4 to 5, second; Miss Nell, 100 (Pollard), 15 to 1, 6 to 1, 3 to 1, third. Time—1:50 1-5. Cockroach, Tugs, Verity, Susan M., Dr. Shafer and Illinois Lad also ran.

Butwell Leads Jockeys In Victories During 1920

Nine jockeys have succeeded in riding one hundred or more winners during the year now drawing to a close. In number of winners ridden J. Butwell is far in front with 146. His record shows that he has had 689 mounts, that he has finished second 124 times and been third in 134 races. He has been unplaced in 294 starts. In percentage of winning mounts, however, L. Ensor leads Butwell. Ensor has been first 116 times in 372 starts. He has 77 seconds and 42 thirds to his credit and has been unplaced 137 times. The seven other jockeys who have reached or passed the century mark and the number of winning mounts they have had follow: J. Rodriguez, 112; F. Coltiletti, 110; L. Lyke, 105; J. Carmody, 103; B. Kennedy, 102; E. Sande, 102, and C. Duggan, 100.

RIGHT ANGLE WINS SPRINT AT HAVANA

Shows Improved Form and Beats Favorite by a Nose in Featured Event.

HAVANA, Cuba, Dec. 27.—Right Angle, running in improved form, scored in a sensational finish when he won the sprint handicap by a nose over the well played favorite, Out the Way, at Oriental Park today. Right Angle led a clever band of sprinters to the wire and his victory was due largely to the powerful ride of Jockey Pickens. Out the Way, a very rapid breaker, went to the front at the start and gained a long lead, but, as usual, in the last sixteenth he began to stop and Right Angle, closing fast on the outside, got up to win. Out the Way was one and one-half lengths in front of San Diego.

Penelope, after many unsuccessful attempts, finally won a race. She won the fourth event in a romp. She was the choice and, taking command quickly, easily disposed of the field to win by three lengths. Hocnir was second, with Allivan third. Two favorites won.

The summaries:

FIRST RACE—For three-year-olds and upward; claiming; purse $700; six furlongs. Hunter Platt, 111 pounds (Butwell), 5 to 1, 2 to 1 and even, first; Driffield, 109 (Fletcher), 6 to 1, 5 to 2 and 6 to 5, second; Juanita III., 106 (Penman), 4 to 1, 8 to 5 and 4 to 5, third. Time—1:15 3-5. Raven Sea, Rhadames, Bill Hunley, Whippoorwill, James and Marty Lou also ran.

SECOND RACE—For three-year-olds and upward; claiming; purse $700; six furlongs. Litholick, 106 pounds (Wilson), 6 to 1, 5 to 2, 6 to 5, first; Goldstone, 106 (Atkinson), 10 to 1, 4 to 1, 2 to 1, second; Count Boris, 105 (Garner), 4 to 1, 8 to 5, 4 to 5, third. Time—1:14 3-5. Bibbler, Elga, Kewessa, Wilfreda, Assign and Discord also ran.

THIRD RACE—Handicap; for three-year-olds and upward; purse $600; five and a half furlongs. Right Angle, 108 pounds (Pickens), 2 to 1, 3 to 5, out, first; Out the Way, 109 (Weiner), 8 to 5, 3 to 5, out, second; San Diego, 103 (Barnes), 15 to 1, 3 to 1, out, third. Time—1:07 2-5. Stepson, Assumption and Walnut Hall also ran.

FOURTH RACE—For three-year-olds and upward; purse $800; one mile. Penelope, 101 pounds (Wilson), 6 to 5, 2 to 5, out, first; Hocnir, 107 (McDermott), 7 to 2, even, out, second; Allivan, 101 (Weiner), 8 to 5, 3 to 5, out, third. Time—1:40 2-5. Haran and Black Prince also ran.

FIFTH RACE—For three-year-olds and upward; claiming; purse $700; one mile and fifty yards. Guaranteed, 104 pounds (Wilson), 6 to 5, 1 to 2, out, first; Mather, 109 (Eames), 10 to 1, 4 to 1, out, second; Darnley, 109 (Dreyer), 3 to 1, even, out, third. Time—1:43 3-5. Dolph and Sans Peur II. also ran.

SIXTH RACE—For three-year-olds and upward; claiming; purse $700; one mile and fifty yards. Clip, 108 pounds (Wilson), 3 to 1, 6 to 5, 3 to 5, first; Buncranal, 109 (Dominick), 2 to 1, even, 1 to 2, second; Sol Gilsey, 100 (Dreyer), 2 to 1, 4 to 5, 2 to 5, third. Time—1:44 1-5. Homan, McClelland, Tim J. Hogan, Night Wind and Sinn Feiner also ran.

HAVANA ENTRIES.

FIRST RACE—Purse $700; claiming; for three-year-olds and upward; five and one-half furlongs. *Grey Rump 102 pounds, *Eastern Glow 105, *Hatrack 105, *Terrible Susan, 105, *Huntress 108, *Ben Butler 108, Dinty Moore 110, Starkader 113, Col. Lillard 113, Gus Scheer 113, Golden Red 113, R. B. Johnson 113.

SECOND RACE—Purse $700; claiming; for two-year-olds; five furlongs. *Perhaps 99 pounds, *Disturbance 99, Kathleen K. 104, Draftsman 106, George C. Jr. 107, Cannon Ball 107, Lotta Speed 108, George W. 113.

THIRD RACE—Purse $700; claiming; for three-year-olds and upward; five furlongs. *Waking Dream 95 pounds, Smite 90, *Frank Keogh 105, *Foster Embry 108, Cavan Boy 108, Blazonry 108, Fickle Fancy 108, *Marion Hollins 111, Truant 101, Thornbloom Red 112.

FOURTH RACE—Purse $800; for three-year-olds and upward; five and a half furlongs. Azurita 102 pounds, Polar Cub 102, Just Fancy 102, Ulster Queen 105, Belle of Elizabethtown 112, Tacola 115.

FIFTH RACE—Purse $1,000; Pan American Handicap; all ages; one mile. Mess Kit 103 pounds, Sweep Clean 105, Helen Atkin 105, War Zone 107, Mumbo Jumbo 109, Bally 113, Buford 115.

SIXTH RACE—Purse $700; claiming; for three-year-olds and upward; one mile and a sixteenth. *Duke Huff 103 pounds, *Black Thong 105, Sea Prince 105, Duke of Shelby 110, Pas de Chance 110, Bucknall 110, Jack Hill 110.

*Apprentice allowance claimed.

Weather clear; track fast.

NEW ORLEANS ENTRIES.

FIRST RACE—Purse $600; maiden two-year-olds; five and one-half furlongs. Vulcanize, 113 pounds, John Arbor 113, Lusmore 113, Magic Castle 113, Philanderer 113, Voormir 113, San Greque 113, Rosecliff 110, Whittle 110, Calithump 110.

SECOND RACE—Purse $700; claiming; three-year-olds; six furlongs. Pueblo 109 pounds, Trackstar 114, Beau Brummel II. 114, On High 106, Dr. Hall 109, Link Boy 114, Mickey Moore 114, Plain Bill 114, Riddle 116, Tom Logan 109, Benecia 106, Horeb 114, Catania 111, Big Idea 106, Kirah 106, Old Sinner 114, Marie Maxim 111.

*THIRD RACE—Purse $700; claiming; two-year-olds; six furlongs. Louise Wynne 107 pounds, Hope Princess 108, Lady Stella 115, Rape o' the Lock 105, Our Kate 106, High Wave 100, Bit of Green 108, Sea Court 111, Kinetic 105, Crimson Rambler 102, Dr. Howard 108, Loch Leven 107, Gladys 107, Superb 106, Mabel Josephine 102, Fading Star 104.

FOURTH RACE—Purse $800; claiming; three-year-olds and upward; six furlongs. Phantom Fair 104 pounds, Madge F. 101, Shilling 97, Serbian 105, Ablaze 106, Archie Alexander 105, Our Birthday 112, Portlight 100, The Nephew 112, Veteran 120, Title 115, Hidden Jewel 107, Hadrian 110, Jean Bullant 110, Charlie Leydecker 114, Kuklux 115, Trooper 110.

FIFTH RACE—Purse $700; claiming; three-year-olds and upward; one mile and a sixteenth. Miss Filley 106 pounds, Golden Dawn, 103, Waukeag 111, Douglas S. 107, Dahabiah II. 110, Plenty 107, Bally Bell 106, Neenah 101, Nelle Yorke 114, Double Van 98.

SIXTH RACE—Purse $700; claiming; three-year-olds and upward; one mile and a quarter. Captain Hodge 105 pounds, John I. Day 105, Pindar 99, Dotta's Best 105, Adalente 105, Lad 105, Sasin 110, Ben Hampson 105.

SEVENTH RACE—Purse $700; claiming; three-year-olds and upward; one mile and a quarter. King Neptune 110 pounds, Lottery 105, Corydon 110, Thirteen 105, Lorena Moss 112, Keep 99, Brookland 110, Austral 105.

Wather cloudy; track heavy.

BRITISH FOOTBALL RESULTS.

LONDON, Dec. 27.—Results of British Soccer League games played on Boxing Day were as follows:

The English League—First Division—Arsenal 1, Everton 1; Bradford 2, Oldham A. 1; Derby C. 1, Bradford C 1; Huddersfield T. 0, Middleboro 1; Liverpool 2, Chelsea 1; Manchester U. 1, Aston Villa 3; Preston N. E. 4, Blackburn R. 2; Sheffield U. 1, Burnley 1; Sunderland 0, Bolton W. 0; Tottenham H. 2, Newcastle U. 0; West Bronwich A. 2, Manchester C. 2.

Second Division—Barnsley 0, Blackpool 1; Birmingham 2, Westham U. 1; Bristol City 3, Port Vale 0; Cardiff City 0, Coventry City 1; Fulham 1, Leeds U. 0; Hull City 3, Clapton 0; Notts C. 3, The Wednesday, 0; Retherham 0, Nottingham F. 0; South Shields 2, Gury 0; Stoke 1, Leicester city 1; Wolverhampton W. 2, Stockport 0.

Third Division—Crystal P. 3, Brighton and H. 2; Exeter C. 1, Plymouth A. 1; Merthyr T. 0, Millwall A. 1; Northampton 2, Gillingham 0; Norwich C. 0, Grimsby T. 0; Portsmouth 1, Watford 0; Queen's Park R. 1, Brentford 0; Southampton 1, Luton T. 1; South End U. 2, Newport C. 1; Swansea T. 2, Bristol R. 2; Swindon T. 2, Reading 0.

CONSIDER CHANGES IN SCORING OF DIVE

Metropolitan A. A. U. Managers Would Simplify Task of Aquatic Judges.

The method of scoring diving competitions in Amateur Athletic Union activities will probably be changed to simplify the task of the aquatic judges, as a result of a recommendation made last night at the special meeting of the Metropolitan A. A. U. Board of Managers, at St. Bartholomew's Club. At the suggestion of A. G. Savori, local men's swimming handicapper and Chairman of the Swimming Committee, a resolution was adopted providing for the appointment of a committee of three to investigate the question and decide on a course which will remedy the present complex situation. President Frederick W. Rubien, who presided over the meeting, is expected to name the committee within a few days.

Confusion on the interpretation of the rules already adopted for scoring diving competitions led to the recommendation that an effort be made to simplify matters. It was pointed out that many judges of diving place a wrong construction on the rules now governing the sport and the result was that the record sheets of the judges were invariably at wide variance, making the determination of the victorious competitor a difficult problem and at times working an injustice to some of the participants.

The local association's province in the matter is limited, and in a measure extremely restricted. It is understood that at the next meeting of the National A. A. U. the swimming and diving rules will undergo a drastic change from their present state so that they will conform with the international rules governing Olympic competitions. At present the American rules differ from the international provisions. It is because of this, and the fact that the swimming of Americans is accordingly affected in the Olympic games, that the A. A. U. officials are considering revising their rules so as to make for conformity.

Have No Power to Change Rules.

Under the circumstances it is doubtful if any real permanent results will develop from the work of the committee, which will be appointed by President Rubien. Under the A. A. U. constitution a subsidiary association is not vested with power to change the rules in any sport. All changes must be made in the form of proposed amendments and be submitted for the consideration of the national legislative body. In cases of emergency, where the interests of any particular sport are vitally concerned and it is necessary to secure the desired amendment immediately, a mail vote is taken on the question by the national legislative body. Whether this matter will be submitted to a national mail vote is a debatable question.

Chairman Savori made his recommendation after reading his annual report. In the course of his report the Swimming Committee head called attention to the fact that the A. A. U. was making elaborate plans for the conduct of men's and women's swimming events in connection with the Sportsmens' Show at Madison Square Garden, Jan. 29 to Feb. 5. Incidentally, a series of amateur boxing bouts will also be held at this show, under A. A. U. supervision.

Reports of various other committees were read in the course of the meeting. The gymnastic report was submitted by Roy E. Moore, Chairman of the Gymnastic Committee, who also announced that it had been decided to hold the annual championships in March. Last year the title meet was held in July because of the Olympic Games. The question of holding the junior and senior cross-country title races in the Spring instead of the Fall was discussed and it was decided to have members of the Board of Managers ascertain the attitude of the contenders and their clubs and report back at the next meeting, which will be held in February or March.

Letter from Weeks Read.

A report from Justice Bartow S. Weeks of the Legislative Committee was read, in which the changes affecting the local association, which were adopted at the New Orleans convention, were discussed. The changes included the raising of the club membership dues to $10 and the sanction fee to $15. While the Metropolitan A. A. U. has received permission to make these increases, they have not yet been actually put into operation. The question of invoking the increases was laid on the table.

Jeremiah T. Mahoney of the New York A. C., reporting for the delegates to the national convention, in discussing the election of Robert S. Weaver, Coast official, over the other candidates, who included Herman Obertubessing of the local association, declared that the delegates came to the New Orleans session determined to elect a Western leader and as a result the metropolitan representatives had received practically no consideration in the various caucuses. Judge Mahoney also discussed the appointment of an A. A. U. committee to investigate the Olympic Committee. The Mercury Foot delegate is a member of this committee, and reported progress in the work assigned the body.

Plans for the New York State amateur boxing championship tournament which will be held at Madison Square Garden, Jan. 3 and 4, were discussed. On recommendation of Stephen S. Byrne, it was agreed to invite wounded soldiers at the Polyclinic and Fox Hills hospitals to be the guests of the A. A. U. at the coming tournament. Sections of the Garden will be reserved for the wounded doughboys each night.

Boxing Application Tabled.

The application of the National Turn Verein of Newark to hold the New Jersey State amateur boxing championship tournament was laid on the table. The Turners offered to hold the tournament without expense to the association, and, conversely, without remuneration in the event of success. Other organizations, whose representatives were not yet prepared to apply for the tournament, are understood to be willing to hold the tournament on a basis remunerative to the association.

Miss Charlotte Epstein of the Women's Swimming Association, who resigned as local woman's swimming handicapper after being re-elected at the last annual meeting, was replaced by Mrs. Edna Cole Civik, whose appointment by President Rubien was approved. Lester C. Stevens, New Brunswick official, one of the Vice Presidents of the association, submitted his resignation because of business pressure, but President Rubien favored a delay in acceptance and the managers acquiesced.

HARVARD GRADS. WORRIED.

Want More Andover and Exeter Athletes to Come to Cambridge.

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., Dec. 27.—The Harvard Alumni Bulletin, a bit worried about such fine athletic timber from Andover and Exeter going to New Haven or elsewhere for an education instead of to Cambridge, which is located close to both these institutions, suggests editorially this week that the entire senior classes of these two preparatory schools be brought to Harvard annually for a brief visit to get the proper lay of the land.

The Bulletin declares that proselyting is far from its mind. It professes the belief that Harvard is misunderstood, and this overhanging cloud would be swept away if the alumni of Andover and Exeter, who are studying here, should take the initiative and stand behind such an invitation.

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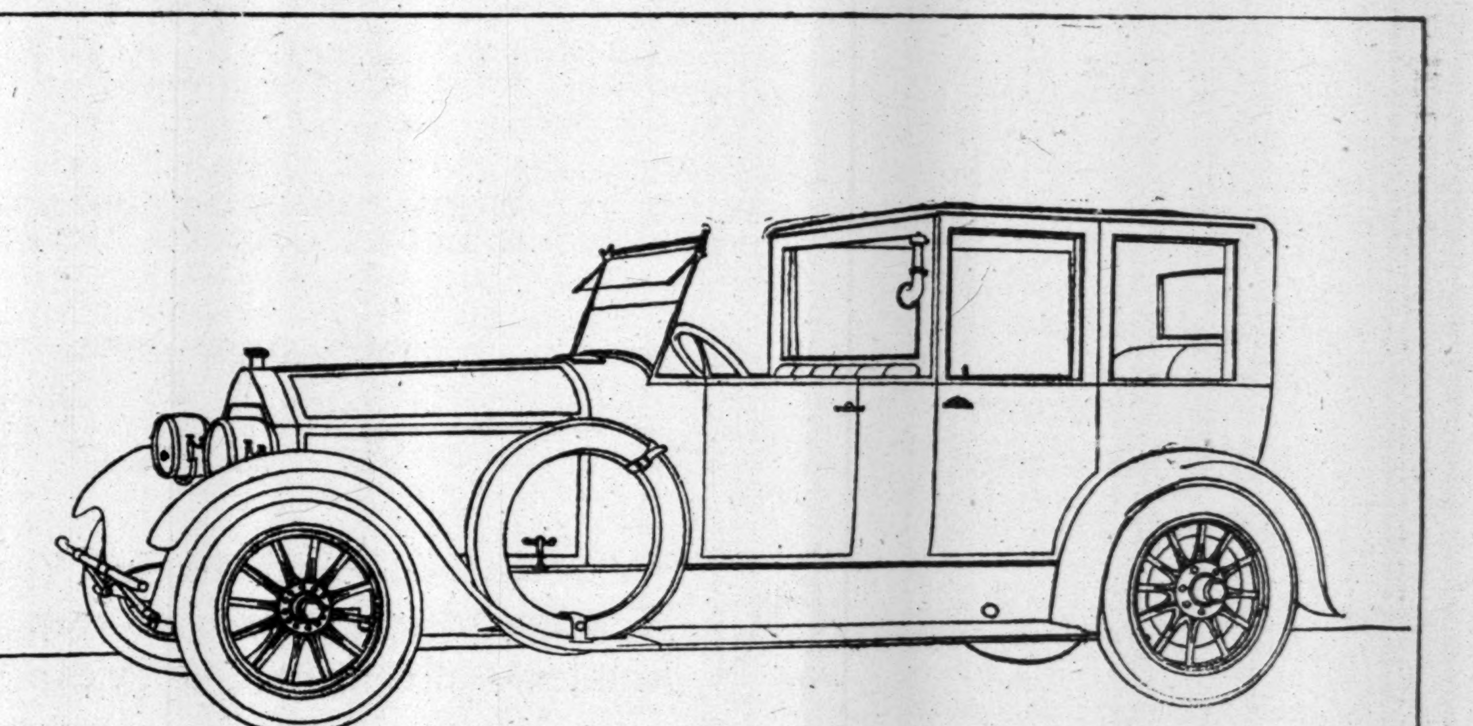

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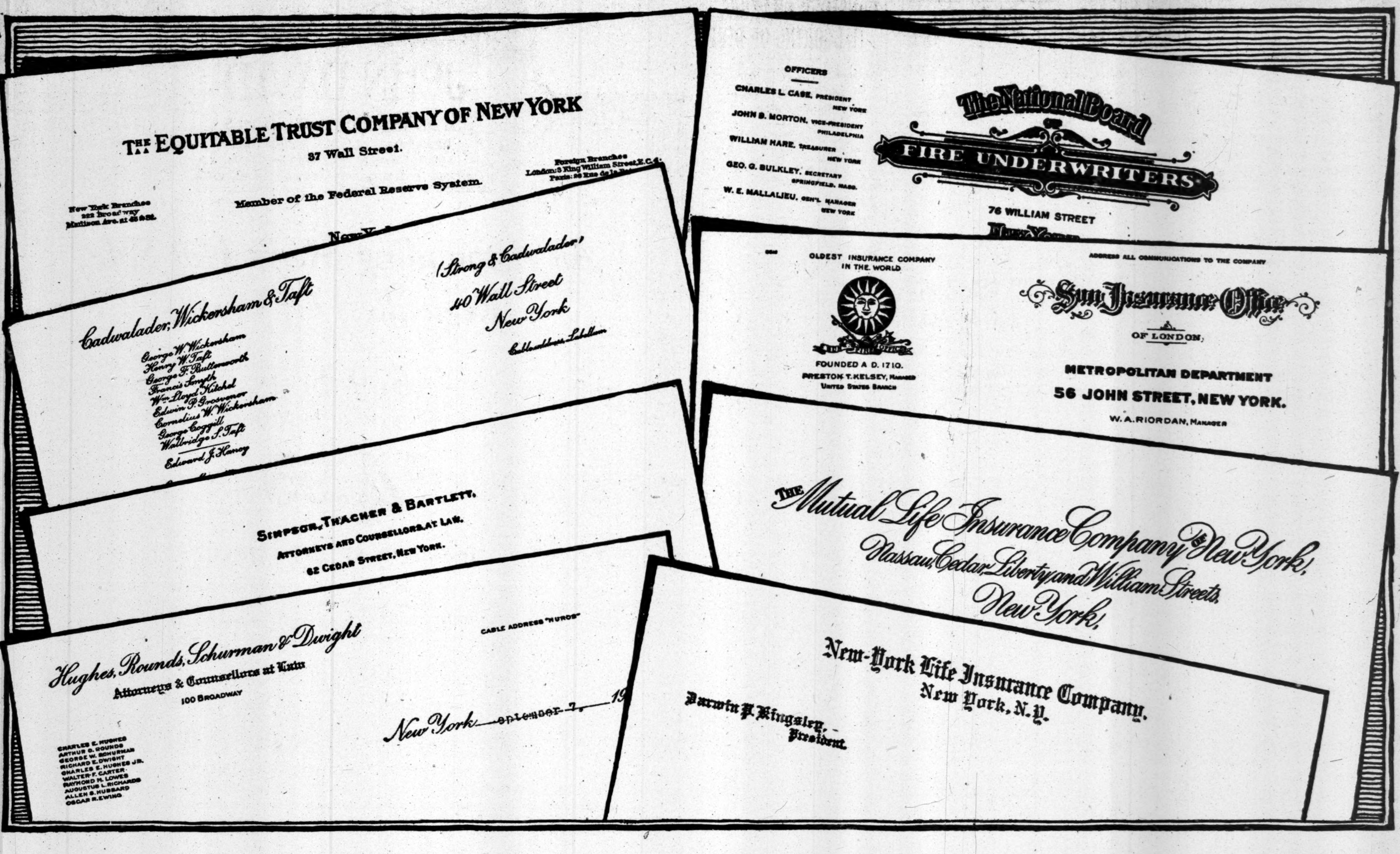

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UNTERMYER FLOUTS BRINDELL'S PLEA

Tells Court Accused Building Trades Boss Can Get a Fair Trial in New York Courts.

6,003 INTERVIEWS CITED

Majority Expressed Belief That Accused Was Guilty, Affidavits Show.

BASIS FOR CHANGE OF VENUE

Defendant's Counsel Declares Client Has Been "Lynched by Ink Law."

Clashes between Samuel Untermyer and Martin Littleton marked the argument yesterday before Supreme Court Justice William P. Burr on the plea of Robert P. Brindell, President of the Building Trades Council, for a change of venue. Brindell is under $100,000 bail on seven indictments charging extortion and attempted extortion.

Mr. Littleton, on behalf of Brindell, declared that his client could not get a fair trial in this county because Judge Mulqueen, in General Sessions, had referred to him as a felon. He said Brindell had been tried and convicted in the public press, having been "lynched by ink law," and stated that 6,003 persons had been interviewed, most of whom declared they thought Brindell guilty.

In reply Mr. Untermyer analyzed the affidavits concerning the examination of the 6,003 persons referred to by Mr. Littleton. He said that his conclusions showed that the names of only 68 of the 6,003 persons interviewed were given, and those on apparently stereotyped affidavits.

Mrs. H. Elvia of 151 West Ninety-eighth Street, one of the "investigators," said Mr. Untermyer, swore that she interviewed 635 persons in 720 minutes, or at the rate of one minute eight and two-fifth seconds a person. "And remember," Mr. Untermyer added, "that she had to make a selection and to take notes of the result of the individual interviews."

Another "investigator," Ella Morganstein, in a period of 375 minutes, talked to 250 persons, accordng to her affidavit, giving each one a minute and a half, "assuming that she kept up an incessant flow of conversation, and that there was a steady stream of people coming toward her for the purpose of being interviewed." He said Miss Morganstein's address was given as the Hotel Pennsylvania, but she did not live or work there.

Says Affidavits Are Worthless.

Summarizing the results of an investigation of Brindell's "investigators," made by employes of the Attorney General's office, Mr. Untermyer declared that it was shown that the affidavits supporting the motion were unreliable and worthless.

Some of those who signed affidavits for Brindell, he said, are members of the "Bear Club," situated on Eleventh Avenue, between Fifty-first and Fifty-second Streets, a rendezvous for persons of "unsavory reputation," whose members include remnants of the former Hell's Kitchen and San Juan Hill gangs.

As showing how the expressions were obtained, Mr. Untermyer said that one of the chief "investigators" for Brindell was John J. Gallagher, an employe of Brindell's "Compensation Department," and a member of the lathers' union, who was arrested charged with felonious assault and discharged and who was subsequently found guilty of disorderly conduct and sentence suspended.

Five affidavits were obtained by Joseph Mannheim, a friend of Matt Brindell, brother of the accused. Ray Clark, foreman for Albert Volk, a housewrecker formerly friendly with Brindell, was another "investigator." Others who made "investigations" and signed affidavits included a "gyp" automobile dealer, some of Brindell's associates and Charles H. Bellows, whose office is located in the same suite as that of J. J. O'Connor, one of Brindell's attorneys.

Brindell was in the courtroom during the argument, which lasted nearly two hours.

In opening his argument Mr. Littleton said that of the first 2,000 pages of testimony taken before the Lockwood committee, 1,700 concerned Brindell.

First Man on Whom Storm Burst.

"In other words, after a whole year of congregated judgment and anxiety concerning the housing situation," he said, "as soon as the committee assembled, the first man on whom it burst was Brindell. He was the man who in one fashion or another was accused of being the one who caused these privations concerning the housing shortage in this city."

Mr. Littleton slammed a scrap book on the table in front of him and pushed it toward Mr. Untermyer. He said it contained 100 pages of clippings, "not the results of reportorial activity or of skillful prognosis of what is to come, but of worn testimony before the Lockwood committee in the form of questions and answers."

"These questions and answers were submitted to the whole of New York City which was made a Grand Jury and the whole city returned an indictment," he continued. He asserted that such a thing had never happened in the history of the city and charged that the Lockwood committee was conducting an ex-parte investigation.

Shaking his finger in the direction of Mr. Untermyer, Mr. Littleton exclaimed: "There is nothing in the criminal law so sure as this, and that is that every man is entitled to a trial before an impartial jury. If we haven't got that law we have some stupid vulgar lynch law. I come from the South where many have been lynched who deserved to be but they were lynched without due process of law. What is happening here is lynching by ink law, just as they lynch by rope law in the South. You can do it either way."

Judge Mulqueen, when fixing bail for Brindell, denounced him as a felon, he asserted, adding that the court stated that it was not impressed with Brindell's personal appearance.

For three days a metropolitan newspaper had attempted to connect the Wall Street bomb explosion with Brindell, said Littleton. "They might as well have said he sunk the Maine or the Lusitania or that he kidnapped Charlie Ross," he continued. "I am here to make an appeal for the rights of man and I don't propose to have Brindell lynched by gallons of ink.

"Here are five books of testimony concerning the villainy of this man. He has no more of a chance for a fair and impartial trial than would have Pontius Pilate, Judas Iscariot or any villain of sacred or profane history who might come back for trial. Mr. Untermyer thinks a fair trial is a conviction. Every man on the street thinks a fair trial would be to lynch him."

Raising his voice to a shout and pounding the table in front of him, Mr. Littleton concluded by saying, "It doesn't make any difference if I love Brindell or not. Mine is a government of law and justice, and it cannot be polluted by all the legislative committees in existence. It is a government that I live for and that I am willing to die for if necessary."

Mr. Untermyer said that before he replied to the "intemperate" statements of his opponent he would have Deputy Attorney General Samuel A. Berger read from the affidavits of the men who investigated the 6,003 statements in support of Brindell's plea.

Mr. Berger said that Michael J. Driscoll, one of the investigators of his office, was formerly in the United State Department of Military Intelligence. In his affidavit, which Mr. Berger read, Driscoll said that the first of the Brindell "investigators" he approached was a typical "gorilla" and he was unable to get much information from him. He went to the home of another "investigator," an Italian, in Corona, L. I., and when he inquired of the man's mother concerning the occupation of her son, she exclaimed, "Oh, Mister, what trouble is he in now?"

Other investigators and affiants were Frank McAllister, who said he had "done business with Brindell," and Nicholas Marino, a tailor, who stated he did not realize what he signed and who believed that Brindell would get a fair trial. The agents for the Attorney General could not locate some of those whose names appeared on the affidavits and in other cases discovered that the street names mentioned did not exist.

Mr. Berger read an affidavit of Stanley Richter, Special Assistant District Attorney, denying the statements attributed to Judge Mulqueen by Mr. Littleton. Mr. Untermyer said that "not even the ingenuity of my friend can distort the remark of Judge Mulqueen in this way."

Mr. Littleton jumped to his feet. "I'm not a liar!" he shouted. "You can't make me out a liar." Mr. Untermyer stuck to his contention that Judge Mulqueen had not made the statement. J. J. O'Connor, associate of Mr. Littleton, read an affidavit denying that Mr. Richter had been present when Judge Mulqueen made the remark imputed to him.

Mr. Untermyer then began his formal argument. He declared the 6,003 affidavits were worthless because they did not give the names of the affiants. One of the "investigators," he said, was Vladimir Fanke, associate of Brindell, whose name appeared prominently during the first phase of the Lockwood committee's investigation.

The name of Fanke aroused Mr. Littleton, who again jumped to his feet. He protested against the affairs of the committee being dragged into the case.

"Will you sit down?" begged Mr. Untermyer.

Mr. Littleton moved close to Mr. Untermyer. "Never at your command!" he shouted. "Not in a thousand years. You'll do no bulldozing here. You are not going to run this court. The Court can run me, but not you." Turning to Judge Burr, he said, "If your Honor tells me to sit down I will sit down."

"Mr. Littleton, please sit down," said Judge Burr, gently.

The lawyer took his seat. A few seconds later he took offense at another remark by Mr. Untermyer. He sprang to his feet, waving his arms in the air. "You needn't be so overbearing," he declared, pointing to Mr. Untermyer. "This is not run like the ex-parte proceeding you are conducting over at the City Hall." The Court ordered Mr. Littleton to desist. He sat down.

Mr. Untermyer then pointed out that for 100 years a change of venue was accorded only when it was shown that a general feeling of hostility to the accused rendered a fair trial impossible.

Judge Burr reserved decision.

Pershing Accepts Invitation To Head the Inaugural Parade

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—General Pershing, in a telegram from Roslyn, L. I., tonight accepted the invitation to serve as Grand Marshal of the parade for the inauguration of President-elect Harding, it was announced tonight by the committee in charge of arrangements.

The invitation was extended in conformity with the custom of having the ranking officer of the army head the inaugural parade.

CONSTANTINE THINKS HE'S WON GROUND HERE

Believes the World Is Coming to Realize He Was Pro-Greek, Not Pro-German.

By CHARLES H. GRASTY.

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Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

ATHENS, Dec. 23.—It would be impossible to talk with Constantine and come away without a pleasant impression of his personality. As he received a fire of questions from half a dozen American correspondents this morning he was quite as democratic and frank as if he had been the Mayor of an American City. Some of the questions were delicate ones, but he did not sidestep them.

He said that Princess Anastasia, formerly Mrs. W. B. Leeds, had full status as a member of the Greek royal family, but her son had none, nor had the widow of King Alexander, as her marriage was not legal.

The King doubted if the Allies would treat with Kemal Pasha, as it did not seem to their interest to do so. He said he expected to go to Asia Minor to lead his troops, but could not tell at what date. The morale of the troops, he said, was excellent. It was not true that the result of the recent elections implied demoralization. On the contrary, it had been stated by the Constantinist leaders before the election that the troops would be kept in the field.

When asked what he had heard about the coming meeting of the Entente Premiers at Nice, he said the reports reaching him were conflicting, some saying that the Premiers would take the initiative and others that they would wait to see what Greece did.

Some one suggested that the return of Venizelos to power was impossible, and the King repeated the statement.

When he was asked for a message to America he said: "I have given that before. Do you wish me to repeat it?" Then, after a moment, he said: "I have just received a telegram saying that American sentiment has undergone a change. It is from Von Wiegand, a well-known correspondent at Berlin." He took the telegram from the table and handed it to me to read aloud, which I did.

He said he believed the world was getting a clearer impression of his course in the war, which had never been pro-German, but pro-Greek. He wanted to keep Greece out and save her loss and suffering if it was possible.

In the course of the interview he said one thing, parenthetically, that might have a considerable bearing on his future course. Will he attempt to control the Government or will he follow his father's policy and stand aloof? His chance remark today may have indicated that he has come back to Greece with liberalized ideas. All he said, and particularly his manner, was consistent with that theory.

ATHENS, Dec. 27 (Associated Press).—King Constantine today declared to delegations from the provinces that he must go to the Smyrna front. He is receiving telegrams of felicitation from all parts of the country.

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THOUSANDS PENNED IN RIVER TUNNEL

Passengers on Ten B. R. T. Trains Walk to Emergency Exit and Stations.

3 OTHER MISHAPS IN DAY

Smoke Affects Three Persons When "Blow-Out" Occurs in Seventh Avenue Subway.

WATER HALTS MORE TRAINS

Another Block Caused When Man Is Caught Between Car and Platform.

At least ten thousand persons were held in the Montague Street tunnel of the Brooklyn Rapid Transit subway yesterday morning by an accident which shut off the power and stalled ten trains under the East River between the Court Street station, in Brooklyn, and the Whitehall Street station, in Manhattan. Several hundred passengers, under the guidance of an inspector of the Transit Construction Commission, reached the outer air through the old construction shaft at Furman Street, Brooklyn, which had been maintained as an emergency exit. Several thousand others left the trains and walked on the "bench" alongside the tracks to the two stations mentioned. Most of the rest were held in the trains by the guards and were imprisoned for a little more than an hour.

The accident, which took place at 8:30 o'clock, during the peak of the morning rush hour, was caused by the dropping of a "shoe-beam" of a Manhattan-bound train approaching Whitehall Street. The beam struck the third rail and caused a short circuit, bringing all the trains in the tunnel to a stop.

Each of the ten six-car trains stalled was heavily loaded with passengers, nearly two hundred to a car. The cutting off of the power current shut off the regular light supply, but the emergency lights in each car, which are fed from storage batteries and were installed by order of the Public Service Commission, came on, averting a tendency toward panic on the part of some of the passengers. Some of these emergency lights were reported to have gone out before traffic could be resumed, leaving the cars in darkness. The Public Service Commission will make an investigation of this phase of the accident.

Tunnel Lights Kept On.

Under another order of the commission, the current which supplies the lights in the tunnel comes from a different source from that which supplies the third rail. These lights continued to burn and afforded sufficient illumination to enable passengers who alighted from the trains to find their way out.

After a considerable time it was found possible to turn on the power east of the "breaker," which is approximately in the centre of the tunnel, and trains on the Brooklyn side of the tunnel were eventually hauled back to the Court Street station. In the meantime, trains were rerouted and sent to and from Brooklyn by way of Canal Street and the Manhattan Bridge. Traffic in the tunnel was not resumed until 9:35, or five minutes more than an hour after the accident took place.

Five east-bound Interborough subway trains were delayed for twelve minutes by a short circuit caused by water from the storm dripping onto the third rail at the Nevins Street station, Brooklyn. The train lights were extinguished but the emergency lights flashed on. Smoke caused by burning insulation caused considerable excitement among the passengers for a time, and issued from the station entrances and exits.

Traffic on the south-bound express track in the Seventh Avenue subway was blocked for ten minutes during the morning rush hour, when a transforming fuse in the motor car of an express train blew out as the train was entering the Seventy-second Street station. The blowout caused a cloud of dense, pungent smoke which drifted into the other cars and over the station platforms.

Smoke Affects Three Passengers.

Three of the passengers were attended by Dr. Bonnigan of Flower Hospital for suffocation. They were Philip Thomas of 45 West 132d Street, Miss Anna Magruder of 349 Lenox Avenue, and Ernest Newson of 129 West 137th Street. The smoke caused considerable excitement among the passengers.

Another subway block was caused by an accident at the Ninety-sixth Street station of the Interborough west side subway, which resulted in Orlando Rosales, a translator, of 103 West Eighty-eighth Street, being taken to Knickerbocker Hospital with a badly bruised, cut and wrenched right leg.

While running to get on a south-bound train, Rosales slipped just outside the entrance to a car, and his leg became wedged to the hip between the car and the station platform. It took the train crew fifteen minutes to extricate him, and the motorman held the train fifteen minutes longer, until the arrival of the hospital ambulance.

BISHOPS IN VERBAL CLASH.

Hughes, Methodist, and Lawrence, Episcopalian, Tilt at Boston.

Special to The New York Times.

BOSTON, Dec. 27.—Sharp words between Bishop Hughes of the Methodist Church and Bishop Lawrence of the Episcopal Church formed a feature of today's meeting of clergy of Greater Boston to consider church unity.

Bishop Lawrence, who was the leading speaker, had just advocated the reordination of ministers upon officiating in Episcopal churches and the reordination of Episcopal ministers upon officiating in other Protestant bodies, when Bishop Hughes interrupted:

"I would not be reordained in the Episcopal Church for a million dollars. I believe my father, who was a Methodist minister, was as regularly ordained as the Archbishop of York. Why, if this very thing which Bishop Lawrence is suggesting went into operation, there would be more cleavage than ever in the churches."

Again when Bishop Lawrence spoke of the Apostolic succession Bishop Hughes declared:

"Of course to me the Apostolic succession is only a superstition."

To this Bishop Lawrence retorted:

"I do not agree with Bishop Hughes at all, and I believe that Apostolic succession has something to do with the orderliness of the church. We Episcopalians have a historic ministry, and in our methods of ordination seven-eighths of the Church follow it in part, like the Roman Catholic Church, and the great Eastern church. Every person baptized in the name of the Trinity is a member of the holy Catholic Church."

Prices realized on Swift & Company sales of carcass beef in New York City for week ending Saturday, Dec. 25th, 1920, on shipments sold out, ranged from 13.50 cents to 21.00 cents per pound and averaged 15.59 cents per pound.—Advt.

Many Suicides Mark Spread of Famine, Chinese Killing Themselves and Families

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PEKING, Dec. 27.—Deaths from starvation, suicide and murder are beginning to take their toll from China's famine sufferers. Catholics and Protestants are united in their efforts to aid the unfortunates, but they are handicapped by lack of funds and an insufficient number of relief workers, so they can save but a small proportion of the millions who are doomed to die.

The distress in China is well illustrated by the following extract from a letter written by Sister Guerlain, a nun at the French Hospital at Cheng-ting-su.

There a handful of nuns are sheltering 2,056 aged famine victims in a space normally used by fifty. The nuns are aided by the strongest of their charges in building shacks for the fast-rising tide of famine sufferers.

"You should know of the evils which accompany a famine here—the sale of children, young girls and young wives, and of the despair of so many who take poison with their last morsel of food or who commit suicide by hanging.

"Take, for instance, the case of one family when members failed to appear for some days. Neighbors went to look them up. They found the doors of the house locked. Breaking their way in, they found the father had killed his five children, hanged his wife and then himself.

"A poor widower had a daughter only 5 years of age. Three times he went to the market (unfortunately there are markets where boys and girls and grown-up girls are sold like beasts of burden) and thrice offered to sell the girl for $3. None would buy. He then dug a pit and attempted to bury the girl alive. She struggled, whereupon the unfortunate father brained her with a shovel.

"The French Minister sent me $2,000 which enabled me to buy, at a very high price, a wagonload of millet, and we were able to feed our people for seventeen days. We are now at our rope's end unless money comes in from other sources."

From throughout the famine districts come similar letters and appeals.

DRY AGENT'S DEATH STILL A MYSTERY

Police Seek Man Seen in Company of McGuinness Before Body Was Found.

FEDERAL SLEUTHS ACTIVE

Autopsy Fails to Show Calibre of Pistol Which Killed the Victim.

Although the Bayonne police still adhere to the suicide theory in the death of James F. McGuinness, prohibition enforcement squad chief, it became known yesterday that they are seeking a man said to have accompanied McGuinness to a butcher shop a few hours before his body was found last Friday afternoon on the waterfront in Bayonne with a bullet wound in the right temple. Detective Patrick Donovan of the Bayonne police came here yesterday afternoon and talked for some time with Acting Supervising Prohibition Agent S. M. Sewell.

Later Mr. Sewell said that virtually nothing new had been learned which would shed light on the mystery, although he admitted that some information had been obtained regarding the movements of McGuinness on the day of the tragedy, which he was not in position to make public. It was reported that McGuinness had been seen by two prohibition agents on Staten Island Friday morning. Mr. Sewell reiterated that there was nothing in McGuinness' record which would cause him to take his life, but declined to say whether he thought the agent was murdered or committed suicide.

Inspectors on the staff of Charles R. O'Connor, Federal Prohibition Director for this State, are co-operating with the enforcement agents. Mr. O'Connor received a telegram from Joseph P. Tumulty, Secretary to President Wilson, urging his help. Mr. Tumulty is a second cousin of Mrs. McGuinness. The Director replied that he would give all the aid possible and detailed several men to work with the agents from Supervisor Chapin's office.

Chief William J. Flynn, of the Bureau of Investigations, Department of Justice, continued his investigations yesterday. Two New Jersey agents of the Department of Justice are working with him on the case.

An autopsy was performed yesterday on the body of McGuinness at the family home, 335 Summit Avenue, Jersey City, by Dr. A. P. Hasking, Assistant County Physician. Dr. Hasking said the autopsy showed that death was caused by a bullet which entered the right temple and came out back of the left ear. He was unable to decide the calibre of the pistol, but said that it was "larger than a .32 calibre." A .38 calibre pistol was found beside the body.

FRENCH SOCIALISTS DEBATE LENIN EDICT

Views of Left, Centre and Right Wings Voiced at the Congress of Tours.

TOURS, France, Dec. 27 (Associated Press).—The left, centre and right wings of the French Socialist Congress in session here today voiced their fears and hopes on the proposed adhesion to the Moscow Internationale under the twenty-one conditions as laid down by Nikolai Lenin.

Leon Blum, Socialist member of the Chamber of Deputies and author of the motion on behalf of the right wing to remain as the Socialist Party, demanded the co-operation of the Socialists with the Government as during the war. He was interrupted by the singing of the "Internationale."

Marcel Cachin, Socialist Deputy, who, with M. Frossard, Secretary of the party, returned from Russia a few months ago completely converted to Bolshevism, took the floor to reply to Deputy Marcel Sembat, whose severe criticism of the Lenin Communist program yesterday made quite an impression on the delegates.

M. Cachin compared the revolutionary measures Moscow has imposed upon the French Socialists to the raid of John Brown, the American abolitionist, on Harper's Ferry, Va., in 1859.

"Some great revolutions have been brought about that way," he declared. "John Brown gave impetus to the movement against slavery. He did the same thing we want to do in France to capitalism and to the bourgeoisie. If we enter upon a purely revolutionary campaign in France we will only be following French revolutionary tradition."

The anti-Bolshevist delegates cried to Cachin, "You are an opportunist," when he declared that if it was found expedient not to socialize the land in Russia but to divide it among the peasants, the same thing could be done in France.

Paul Faure of the Centre Party presented a middle ground platform of adhesion to the Bolshevist régime in principle, without acceptance of the 21 points imposed by Lenin.

MANY SWINDLES LAID TO MRS. RUICKHOLDT

Police Say Doctor's Wife Arrested Here Is Wanted in Six States.

BAIL IS RAISED TO $10,000

Prisoner Still Blames Man With Hypnotic Eyes and Awaits Husband's Aid.

As a result of statements by the police that they had received information from individuals and authorities in six States that Mrs. Ruth Ruickholdt was wanted for alleged swindling, Magistrate Levine in the Jefferson Market Court yesterday raised her bail from $2,500 to $10,000. She was arrested Friday charged with having attempted to obtain a gold watch and chain from Stone & Perry, jewelers of New London, Conn., under false pretenses. Mrs. Ruickholdt on the way to her cell, still maintained that "the man with the hypnotic eyes" was responsible for her predicament and said that she would have some interesting things to say at her next hearing Thursday.

The specific complaint on which Mrs. Ruickholdt was arraigned yesterday was made by Dr. E. T. Sharpe of 12 Elizabeth Street, Derby, Conn., who alleged that on Nov. 12 she obtained $1,000 from him by misrepresentation. On that day, he said, he received a telephone call from a woman who told him she was his cousin, Miss Charlotte Sharpe. The woman said, according to the complaint, that she had been robbed of a suit case containing $6,000 in money and jewelry in front of the Hotel McAlpin, and asked him to wire her $800. Dr. Sharpe telegraphed her $1,000, he charges. The real Miss Sharpe was in court yesterday, an interested spectator.

The Boston police sent a message here, according to the police, that Mrs. Ruickholdt was wanted in that city on a charge of stealing a violin worth $600 from Franz Burgstaller, a dealer, on Nov. 11. The police also produced a message from Harry C. Browne of Nineteenth Street and Broadway, Flushing, who alleged that the defendant had obtained $200 from him and $35 from his mother on Dec. 6 by representing herself to be a friend of his sister, a Y. M. C. A. worker in Germany. Mr. Browne, who was in court, verified the telegram. He said he had known Mrs. Ruickholdt many years.

J. C. Houston, a traveling salesman of Mount Vernon, telegraphed the police from Newton, Mass., that Mrs. Ruickholdt had obtained $250 from him by posing as a relief worker. He wired that he would appear in court against her on Thursday. George Bell of 4 East Forty-second Street alleged that she obtained $900 worth of jewelry from him under a fictitious name. Agents of Davega's sporting goods store in the Hotel Commodore said that by representing herself as Mrs. Charlotte Sharpe of Providence Mrs. Ruickholdt purchased $1,000 worth of goods for which she had not paid.

During the afternoon session of court Samuel Hunter, a diamond cutter of 13 Maiden Lane, asked Magistrate Levine if he could see the prisoner and readily picked out Mrs. Ruickholdt as a woman using the name of Charlotte Sharpe, who, he said, had defrauded him of a $500 diamond ring. He told the Court that she first approached him with a ring which she sold for $200. Later she opened an account by means of which he alleged she obtained the more valuable ring.

When the Assistant District Attorney asked Mrs. Ruickholdt what had become of the ring she replied that she did not know.

"Did the hypnotic man get that, too?" he asked.

"I suppose so," she replied.

At the proceedings yesterday Mrs. Ruickholdt was represented by John R. Donnelly of 52 Broadway, who said that he expected to obtain a bondsman for her. Later Mr. Donnelly, who has a civil practice, withdrew in favor of former Assistant District Attorney Deacon Murphy. Mrs. Ruickholdt said she was awaiting the arrival of her husband, Dr. Charles R. Ruickholdt, from Washington. He had not appeared at the time court adjourned.

HUMAN EAR CHRISTMAS GIFT

Woman Left Box at Sing Sing for New York Convict.

Special to The New York Times.

OSSINING, Dec. 27.—Vincent Valanotti, who was sent to Sing Sing a year ago from New York City to serve a fifteen-year sentence for manslaughter, received a human ear in a Christmas package left at the prison for him by a woman.

Prison officials refused to say whether they had got track of the sender and whether they had learned the motive which inspired the making of such a gift. One theory was that friends of Valanotti had murdered an enemy of his and sent the ear as a token of revenge accomplished. Another theory was that it was intended as some kind of a threat.

Valanotti had inquired anxiously for a Christmas box and was much concerned when it did not arrive on time, as if he had been expecting something important. The discovery was made when the package was opened by the prison censor.

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DISARMING BAVARIA LEFT TO PREMIERS

Council of Ambassadors Passes Remonstrances of Gen. Nollet on to Higher Authorities.

FOCH'S ADVICE IS SOUGHT

He Is Requested to Report by Dec. 31 Means for Removing "Civil Guards" Menace.

A MONARCHIST MOVEMENT

France Now Regrets Leniency Which Gave Bavarian Plotters Time to Grow Powerful.

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Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

PARIS, Dec. 27.—The conference of Allied Premiers, which, it is reported, will be held early next year at Nice, will have to solve the grave problem of the disarmament of the Bavarian Einwohnerwehr and other "auto-protection" (i. e., anti-Communist) organizations in Germany.

That is the decision of the Council of Ambassadors, which met here today to consider the protest received from General Nollet, head of the Interallied Control Commission in Berlin, against the recent refusal of the German Government to carry out this disarmament.

The Ambassadors feel that the question is too urgent and important to be dealt with by the dispatch of a collective note to Germany, which is the only means of action at their disposal, and will ask the Premiers to consider it at the earliest opportunity.

They further decided to instruct Marshal Foch, as head of the Interallied Military Commission, to give them before Dec. 31 a full report on the position of the "auto-protection" bodies in Germany, and the best means he can suggest of securing their disarmament.

Interest Stimulated by Lefevre.

The Germans declare that this disarmament is impossible in the present circumstances. French interest in the subject has been greatly stimulated by the recent speech in Parliament of André Lefèvre, ex-Minister of War, who tried to convince his countrymen that the German danger was so great as to make a reduction of the period of French military service undesirable at present. In that he failed. A majority of the Deputies and the mass of public opinion declined to accept his conclusions, which condemned them to a military effort of the most onerous and expensive character.

M. Lefèvre appeared as the apostle of militarism, and, for all her distrust of Germany, France is reluctant to sacrifice on the militarist altar billions of public money and the three best years of the lives of her young men.

But M. Lefevre succeeded in focussing the limelight on these German auto-protection societies, whose existence France considers a permanent threat to the peace of Europe for political as well as military reasons. For not only does the Bavarian Einwohnerwehr—which is reported to consist of upward of half a million veteran soldiers, militarily organized—form a secondary German army, contrary to the terms of the Peace Treaty, which could rapidly be linked up with the first line forces of the Reichswehr for an attack on France, if opportunity offered, but it is a weapon in the hands of the reactionary party of Germany. The German Socialist press does not hesitate to attribute the refusal of the Government to disband the Einwohnerwehr to pressure from Munich, which declines flatly to allow anything of the sort. Under the direction of Ludendorff, Bauer and other former chiefs of the imperial army, the German Socialists say, a reactionary conspiracy is being openly prepared in Munch, with the direct complicity of Prussian military leaders like General Von Seekt.

Planning Monarchist Restoration.

They are planning a monarchist restoration, not, however, the restoration of the Hohenzollerns, but of the Wittelsbachs; of the popular Bavarian Prince Rupprecht instead of the unpopular Kaiser or the Crown Prince, who alienated public sympathy by their flight to Holland. The reactionary leaders propose to extend this restoration to all Germany. It will be the re-establishment of the old German Empire with only this difference, that the centre of gravity will be shifted from Berlin to Munich. The unfortunate feature of the whole business is that the Bavarian reactionaries were able to get a good start with their Einwohnerwehr because the French, who had been almost insistent about the disarmament of auto-protection societies in other parts of Germany, turned a blind eye in their direction. The fact is the French were for the moment obsessed by the old delusion which wrecked Napoleon III. in 1870, that Catholic Bavaria might split from Lutheran Prussia. Now that the French perceive the real extent of the Bavarian plan and the vanity of the separatist dream they are loud in the demand that the Einwohnerwehr shall be disarmed.

A Temps editorial indignantly repudiates the suggestion that the French encouraged the Bavarian movement and even goes so far as to lay the blame on the British General, Malcolm, head of the British mission in Berlin, whose soldierly horror of the Bolsheviki and their doctrine made him sympathetic toward the auto-protection or anti-Communist organizations.

Such post-morten recriminations do not much matter. They do not change the fact that the Einwohnerwehr remained undisarmed and undisbanded when the allied interdict went forth from Spa against the rest of the auto-protection societies, and that now the Bavarian reactionaries are so strong as to impose their authority on the Central Government.

AMSTERDAM, Dec. 27.—A dispatch to the Handelsblad from Düsseldorf says the Interallied Rhine Commission, alarmed because of the spread of militarism in German schools, has issued an order prohibiting the use of schools for military purposes on penalty of arrest of offenders and confiscation of the schools.

WEARS JUSTICE'S SHOES.

Edward Barrett Accepts Tierney's When His Own Disappear.

Special to The New York Times.

PINEHURST, N. C., Dec. 27.—Edward Barrett, President of the National Realty Corporation, who arrived at Pinehurst today in company with several New York Supreme Court Justices and other legal luminaries, is treading in the shoes of Justice John M. Tierney and giving a very fair imitation of the walk of Charlie Chaplin in the lobby of the Carolina Hotel tonight.

Mr. Barrett's elevation to the shoes of greatness is due to the fact that when he started to dress for dinner this evening his own shoes were missing. Judge Tierney, one of Mr. Barrett's scheduled opponents in a golf tourney that begins here tomorrow, came nobly to the rescue with a pair of his own shoes, and Mr. Barrett admits that his suspicions have now narrowed down to his other two golf adversaries, Justices Francis T. Delehanty and Edward Ridley Finla.

The three Judges will be opposed tomorrow by Mr. Barrett, Elihu Root Jr. and Thomas W. Churchill, former President of the Board of Education.

France to Sell Fleet Of Merchant Vessels

PARIS, Dec. 27.—The Government has introduced a bill for the liquidation of the merchant fleet built or bought during the war to assure transport which was jeopardized by the submarine warfare. The Government continued to manage the ships during the transition period after the war, but considering that no useful purpose was being served in operating them longer, has decided to sell off the ships in groups.

A committee to be appointed by the Under Secretary of the Merchant Marine will assist the technical experts in directing the liquidation. Certain categories of the ships will be reserved for French buyers on condition that there is no transfer of nationality without the sanction of the French Government. The others, chiefly wooden ships built in America to the order of the Under Secretary, will be sold to all comers.

The bill stipulates that the liquidation must be completed by June 30, 1922.

FIREBUG DESTROYS $200,000 BUILDING

Tenant of Business Structure in Uniontown Is Held for Examination.

SMITH BOY PLEADS GUILTY

Confesses to Starting 13 Fires—Three Men Are Prevented From Burning Another School.

Special to The New York Times.

UNIONTOWN, Pa., Dec. 27.—With the capture of Albert Smith and his confession that he had started thirteen fires in Fayette County in the last two months, the inhabitants of the fire zone had begun to relax their vigilance only to be again startled this morning by the destruction by fire of a $200,000 business building on Main Street. William Pantelos, proprietor of one of the business establishments housed in the building, was arrested by the Deputy State Fire Marshal investigating the Fayette County fires.

Pantelos was released on his own recognizance, and will be given a hearing later. Pantelos is alleged to have made statements while the fire was in progress which excited the suspicion of the Deputy Fire Marshal. It was the fourth time fire had been discovered in the building.

Young Smith pleaded guilty this afternoon to thirteen charges of arson and felonious arson before Alderman Michael. He was held for criminal court action tomorrow morning, when the court is expected to determine whether the lad, who is said to be irresponsible, will be sent to the Fairview Asylum for the Criminal Insane or to the penitentiary.

Reuben Smith, father of the boy, was taken into custody by the State troopers early Sunday morning. According to the State troopers, the elder Smith is being held as a material witness pending the completion of the State's case against his son. County authorities, however, place a different construction on the arrest of the father.

Basil West, a negro, aged 27, was arrested in the lumber yard of the Fayette City Construction Company late last night. The negro was pulled from between two piles of lumber by deputies who saw him enter the place. He is being held pending further investigation.

"No one helped me and no one told me to do it," young Smith said, in denying a suggestion that he was the tool of "a master mind." While he never feared arrest when carrying on his operations, young Smith quakes with fear almost continuously since his arrest. Asked for the reason he declared that he feared the vengeance of the people should they ever get hold of him.

"I am insane," he said. "I get pains in the back of my head and I just don't know why I did it. I remember I set fire to the school building, the church and the garage at Brownsville. I just got those pains, and then I did the firing. There were times when this strange feeling in my head sort of told me I was to set fire to my own home. I never did, but the pains in my head told me I should. I did fire other buildings, but I had no spite against schools or churches. I never fired anything because I hated the people."

His father declared today that he had once said after the firebugs had first begun their depredations that he "didn't care if the firebugs did burn the dancing pavilion." He declared that was the only basis the authorities had for placing him under arrest. In making the remark about the dancing pavilion, Smith asserted, he said it in a way any person might speak who had a violent dislike for a dance hall. He admitted to such a dislike.

Citizens of Jefferson, Washington and Perry Townships held an indignation meeting tonight and adopted resolutions condemning the county detective forces and the District Attorney for their inefficient methods "in ferreting out the fire rat." It was further declared by the citizens present that unless "something is done quickly, we will adopt our own measures in dealing with the arson ring."

Members of a train crew on the Pennsylvania Railroad surprised three men trying to get into the Lebanon Avenue School early this morning. The train was stopped and the firebugs took to their heels. One of the vandals in his flight dropped a bundle of oil-soaked waste. The men were trying to force the main entrance of the school when members of the train crew first saw them.

30-YEAR SENTENCE FOR SLAYING GIRL

Arthur Mudgett Convicted by a Jury Composed Entirely of Married Men.

HYDE PARK, Vt., Dec. 27.—A sentence of thirty to thirty-five years in the State prison was imposed today upon Arthur Mudgett after a jury had found him guilty of manslaughter in causing the death of Amy Shonio at Johnson on July 31 last.

Mudgett, who protested throughout the trial that he was innocent, showed no emotion as the sentence was pronounced by Judge Moulton. His counsel announced that exceptions would be taken to the Supreme Court.

The death of Miss Shonio, who was a mill worker, and lived in the same boarding house as Mudgett, aroused more than local interest, and during the two weeks of the trial the courtroom was packed. The body was found in a cemetery at Johnson several days after the girl had left the lodging house. An autopsy showed that she was to become a mother; that an operation had been attempted and bungled, and that she had been strangled.

The jury, composed entirely of married men, four hours after being charged by Judge Moulton returned a verdict of guilty of manslaughter.

In sentencing Mudgett, Judge Moulton said:

"I doubt if any punishment this Court can give you will be greater than the suffering you will have in your recollection of the death of that girl."

When asked by the clerk of the court if he had anything to say, Mudgett replied in a voice that was barely audible, "No, nothing."

RECALLS MARTENS, CANCELS ORDERS

Soviet Alleged to Have Placed Through Envoy Contracts Aggregating $50,000,000.

OUR GOVERNMENT ASSAILED

Tchitcherin Says Its Hostile Attitude "Cannot Reflect Opinion of American People."

MARTENS PREDICTS CHANGE

Says World Cannot Now Get Along Without Russia and American Business Men Realize It.

Ludwig C. A. K. Martens, unrecognized Soviet envoy, who has been ordered deported, will cancel such trade contracts as have been made with American business houses and return to Russia as soon as possible. This was announced yesterday at the Soviet trade headquarters, 110 West Fortieth Street, where Martens has his office. At the same time it was solemnly asserted that the canceled contracts would aggregate "about $50,000,000." Instead of making an appeal, Martens will surrender to the Department of Labor on Jan. 3, and when the affairs of the local bureau are wound up about three weeks later he will be ready to depart.

His attitude is based upon orders received in a cable message from George Tchitcherin, in which the Minister for Foreign Affairs at Moscow bitterly assails the "present American Administration" and praises the envoy for his patience, "notwithstanding malicious insults and petty persecutions on the part of some elements in America."

In a statement yesterday Martens declared that he was confident the attitude of the American Government toward Soviet Russia would change in time.

Text of Tchitcherin's Message.

He made public the cablegram received from Tchitcherin as follows:

> Your telegram of Dec. 18 reporting the decision of the United States Government to deport you received. The hostility of the present American Administration, expressed in this act, cannot reflect the opinion of the American people, especially of the American workers who have given so many warmly appreciated proofs of sympathy with the workers and peasants of Russia. Under the most trying circumstances you have during two years honorably and patiently endeavored to carry out the instructions received by you to establish friendly relations with the United States.
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> You did so, notwithstanding malicious insults and petty persecutions on the part of some elements in America, convinced that eventually the common interests of the people of America and Russia would eliminate the obstacles to understanding. Even now we are certain the masses of the American people will in due time bring about such an understanding. At the present moment, however, we are confronted with the cold fact that America, who repeatedly avowed her good-will toward the people of Russia and with whom Russia for many reasons was eager to develop mutually advantageous co-operation in the economic field, makes such co-operation impossible.
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> This is done at a time when most of the nations of the world, even such as openly conducted war against us and wasted no time on sentimental assurances of friendship, are entering into economic relations with Russia. We must resign ourselves to the fact that Russia for the time being, due to the hostile attitude of the present American Administration, will have to get along without such co-operation.
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> You are instructed to return to Russia without delay, together with the Russian citizens who are members of your staff, and to cancel and liquidate, in accordance with instructions you will receive from the Commissariat of Foreign Trade, all orders placed with American firms.

Martens's statement was similar in tenor to that of his chief at Moscow.

"I am perfectly confident," it said, "that the policy of the American Government will not prevail. Russia has been able to get along without the rest of the world for three years, but the time has come when the world cannot longer get along without Russia. It is the need for more foreign markets that is compelling England to resume trade relations with Russia. We have seen every evidence that American business men realize that the same condition applies to them and therefore to America, and that the United States needs to take advantage of foreign markets in order to dispose of its surplus products and to provide employment for its workingmen."

Secretary Talks of Huge Orders.

The Department of Labor will be notified at once that no appeal will be made by Martens, it was said at the Envoy's office. Kenneth Durant, Acting Secretary of the bureau, also asserted that American business men would lose many millions of dollars' worth of business through the cancellation of contracts. Throughout the Summer and Fall small shipments, aggregating about $500,000 in value, were made to Russia, and larger one would have been made, Mr. Durant said, but for the restrictions as to payments. Each shipment must be paid for in gold upon receipt. He added:

"In addition to the $50,000,000 worth of contracts already made with American firms, we had orders from home calling for the expenditure of about $100,000,000 more. The orders for these contracts, which of course have not yet been made, are revoked."

Mr. Martens, Durant said, declined to make public a list of the contracts and the firms with whom they were made until he had had an opportunity to confer with the manufacturers concerned. It was quite possible, the secretary pointed out, that the American firms would not wish the list made public.

On the other hand, it was asserted that the $100,000,000 order received from Moscow which Martens was to have placed here called for, in specified orders, agricultural machinery, including tractors, mowers, binders, reapers, ploughs, cultivators, &c., totaling in value about $50,000,000, between $3,000,000 and $5,000,000 worth of machine tools, 30,000 tons of rails, 10 tons of locomotive tires, 2,500 tons of spring steel for locomotive and car springs, 10,000 tons of sheet iron and 50,000 tons of oil piping.

As to raw materials in Russia asserted to be accumulated and ready for export, the following were given as a few items which have been offered by the Commissariate for disposal in the American market:

"Unlimited quantities of lumber, 20,000 tons of flax, 10,000 tons of hemp, 9,000,000 fur pelts, 1,000 tons of bristles sorted and cleaned, 2,000 tons of horsehair, 250,000 tons of manganese ore, 5,000 tons of asbestos, 3,500,000 hides, a large quantity of platinum, and 2,000,000 tons of petroleum and petroleum products."

Senator France Assails Deportation.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—Criticising the deportation order against Ludwig C. A. K. Martens, Russian Soviet agent in the United States, Senator France, Republican, Maryland, in a statement tonight declared that it "is time for our Government to forget its prejudices and follow the example of Great Britain by opening up the channels of trade for American citizens in all parts of the world."

"When Mr. Martens leaves the country," said Senator France, "the Russian people will be without a representative here, and while their representatives in Great Britain have been recognized and most profitable orders for immense quantities of goods are being placed by these representatives in England, the United States, by our policies, will be isolated and prevented from participation in this most desirable and lucrative trade."

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FINANCIAL MARKETS

Railway Shares Strong, Industrials Irregularly Weak, With Lighter Trading on Exchange.

The closing week of the year began yesterday with no sign either of the money market commotion which frequently marks the occasion or of the aggressive buying of investment stocks and bonds at rising prices, such as will sometimes precede the January interest payments. The money market was unruffled, there was no sign of unusual demand and rates for both demand and time loans remained as they stood last week. It is now the prevalent conclusion that the special year-end requirements have been so long kept uppermost in mind throughout all the business of the banks that advance provision has been made in a quite unusual degree.

On the Stock Exchange, yesterday's transactions were barely half as large as on the active days of last week or in the last week of December of 1919 or 1918. Apparently the bulk of the business done was by professional speculators, who, in the Wall Street phrase, were "feeling for weak spots" in the market. The result of such experimental tests was to disclose a good deal of underlying strength in the railway shares, but little resisting power among the industrials, several of which declined 3 to 5 points. These stocks, along with the rest of the list, moved up again in the final hour, probably because of news that the holdings of one group of promoters, which were lately overhanging the market, had been taken up by banking interests. In the end, most of the industrials closed well above the day's lowest but at irregular and sometimes considerable net declines.

The bond market was extremely irregular and in some quarters lower. Wall Street appeared to be convinced that prices of both bonds and stocks were influenced by sales either to "establish losses" for the income tax or to raise money needed for other purposes. In so far as the establishing of losses has been a dominant influence, it will necessarily cease altogether to operate with the ending of this week. It will then be possible to see what real and immediate influence is to be exerted by the prospect of easier money and the traditional season of reinvestment. Prediction is difficult when one is dealing with an investment situation so markedly psychological in character. For the present, imagination seems to count for a good deal more than tangible realities, and every one knows that financial imagination is now as deeply imbued with pessimism as it was with unwarranted optimism towards the close of 1919. That Liberty bonds should have moved up again to a level 1½ or 2 points above last week's lowest, was one of the few signs of the day that the investing community was looking at both sides of the situation.

Occasional expert forecasts in regard to the coming financial year are still contributing to the public's interest in what it rightly considers an obscure and perplexing outlook. Following Mr. Armour's prediction of last week that prices of goods in general cannot go much lower and that revival of business may come as suddenly as did the reaction from the "boom" of a year ago, Judge Gary now speaks from the steel trade viewpoint and Mr. Daniel Guggenheim from that of the copper industry. The chairman of the Steel Corporation is, as usual, cautious about predicting immediate results, but he believes that one "may look forward with confidence to marked improvement of business." This will be "perhaps not so soon or so rapid as we could wish" and Judge Gary can still "recognize dangers in the general situation," but he avows himself "more optimistic in regard to the future of this country than I have been at any time during the last six years."

While this diagnosis is prudently noncommittal as to time and particulars in foreshadowing the future, Mr. Guggenheim particularizes. He believes that financial people "are frightened, and to a great extent unnecessarily and unjustifiably"; that the West is much less pessimistic than the East; that the reduction of prices will release for investment sums of money running into the thousands of millions and that our country, like the England of a century ago, will as a consequence be willing and able to provide the necessary credits for Europe after financing our own home enterprises. On the whole, even when allowing for the natural tendency in public statements by men in charge of large enterprises to put the best color on the business prospect, all of these statements reflect a reasoned optimism, though all appear more or less reserved about the immediate future. Wall Street would much prefer to know exactly what is to happen in January and February; but most people of experience know that a new financial year is rather apt not to begin, or at any rate to disclose its actual character, until the Spring season has arrived.

MONEY.

MONDAY, DEC. 27, 1920.

Call money on the Stock Exchange opened the week at the rate prevailing for the better part of last week, to wit, 7 per cent. This rate obtained all day. Time funds were likewise unchanged over the week end, mixed collateral, all dates, going for 7¼@7½ per cent., and on all industrials 7½@7¾ per cent. prevailed. Business is quiet in both call and fixed period market. There is a fair demand from interior banks for prime-name commercial paper, choice names discounting at 7¾ per cent., 8 per cent. on others. In bankers' acceptances no change was noted in rates.

Call Loans.

Renewal.	High.	Low.	Last.	Friday's Last.
7	7	7	7	7

Time Loans

Mixed collateral, 60 to 90 days........7¼@7½
4, 5 and 6 months........7¼@7½
All industrial collateral, 60-90 days..7½@7¾
4, 5 and 6 months........7½@7¾

Commercial Paper.

Best names, 3 to 6 months........7¾@8
Other names, 3 to 6 months........8 @8¼

Discount Rates, Federal Reserve Bank.

Commercial paper, 15 days, 7; 16 to 90 days........8
Liberty bonds and Victory notes, 15 days, 6; 16 to 90 days........6
Bankers' acceptances, 15 to 90 days..6

Open Market Rates.

Prime eligible acceptances, on call....6
Eligible for rediscount with Reserve Bank, 60 to 90 days........6⅛@6¼
Non-member and private bankers, eligible, 60 to 90 days........6⅜@6½
Not eligible, 60 to 90 days........8 @7½

London Market.

Holiday in London. Last money, 4¾ per cent.; short bills and three months' bills last, at 6⅝ per cent. Gold bullion on the London market, last price 116s 1d per fine ounce. Mint parity, 85s.

Clearing House Exchanges.

Monday's exchange of checks at the New York Clearing House, $914,274,257; balances, $92,440,806; Federal Reserve Bank's credit balance, $88,305,845; exchanges this day a year ago, $577,645,540.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE.

Sterling Lower, Other European Rates Variable—Further Recovery in Rates on Canada.

Sterling exchange was weak all day in a dull market, closing at the lowest rate, 2⅜ cents below Friday. Rates on France, Italy, Berlin and Amsterdam lost ground slightly, and Greek exchange declined from 7.23 cents to 7.10, but Belgian and Scandinavian rates advanced fractionally.

Exchange on Montreal continued to recover, reaching 85.4 cents, as against 85 at last week's close and 83.9 a week ago today, the low figure of the year. The rate on Buenos Aires was slightly lower, on Brazil unchanged.

MONDAY, DEC. 27, 1920.

Range of Rates, Sight Exchange.

	High.	Low.	Final.	Friday's Final.
LONDON	3.50⅝	3.49	3.49	3.51⅝
PARIS	5.87½	5.84	5.84	5.86
ROME	3.39	3.36	3.36	3.38¼
AMSTERDAM	31.30	31.23	31.23	31.25
BERLIN	1.39	1.38	1.38	1.39½
MADRID	12.95	12.93	12.93	12.93

CLOSING RATES.

Parity of exchange is given as reported by the United States Mint, except in countries with a silver standard, where parity fluctuates with the price of silver.

Europe.	Monday.	Week Ago.	Year Ago.
STERLING—Par $4.86⅝ per sovereign.			
Demand	3.49	3.57½	3.78¾
Cables	3.50⅝	3.53½	3.78¾
Com., 60 days	3.44	3.47	3.74
Com., 90 days	3.42	3.45	3.72
FRANCE—Par 19.3 cents per franc.			
Demand	5.84	5.88¼	9.32
Cables	5.84½	5.89	9.33
ITALY—Par 19.3 cents per lira.			
Demand	3.36	3.43½	7.60
Cables	3.37	3.44½	7.61
BELGIUM—Par 19.3 cents per franc.			
Demand	6.16	6.20	9.50
Cables	6.17	6.21	9.51
GERMANY—Par 23.8 cents per mark.			
Demand	1.38	1.38¼	2.09
Cables	1.39	1.39	2.10
AUSTRIA—Par 20.3 cents per crown.			
Demand	.26	.23	.80
Cables	.27	.23½	.87
CZECHOSLOVAKIA—Par 20.3 cents per crown.			
Demand	1.16	1.16	1.95
Cables	1.17	1.17	2.00
DENMARK—Par 26.8 cents per krone.			
Demand	15.30	15.10	19.00
Cables	15.35	15.15	19.20
FINLAND—Par 19.3 cents per finmark.			
Demand	2.41	2.41	3.20
Cables	2.46	2.46	3.25
GREECE—Par 19.3 cents per drachma.			
Demand	7.10	7.35	15.30
Cables	7.15	7.40	15.38
HOLLAND—Par 40.2 cents per florin.			
Demand	31.23	31.15	37.375
Cables	31.33	31.25	37.50

Europe.	Monday.	Week Ago.	Year Ago.
HUNGARY—Par 20.3 cents per crown.			
Demand	.20	.20	..
Cables	.21	.21	..
JUGOSLAVIA—Par 20.3 cents per crown.			
Demand	.73	.73	1.05
Cables	.74	.74	1.10
NORWAY—Par 26.8 cents per krone.			
Demand	15.30	14.85	20.55
Cables	15.35	14.90	20.70
POLAND—Par 23.8 cents per mark.			
Demand	.17	.17	1.20
Cables	.17¼	.17¼	1.22
RUMANIA—Par 19.3 cents per leu.			
Demand	1.28	1.19	3.20
Cables	1.30	1.21	3.25
SERBIA: Belgrade—Par 19.3 cents per franc.			
Demand	2.89	2.89	4.80
Cables	2.94	2.94	4.85
SPAIN—Par 19.3 cents per peseta.			
Demand	12.93	12.98	19.40
Cables	12.94	13.00	19.45
SWEDEN—Par 26.8 cents per krone.			
Demand	19.75	19.70	21.15
Cables	19.80	19.75	21.00
SWITZERLAND—Par 19.3 cents per franc.			
Demand	15.18	15.22	18.08
Cables	15.21	15.25	18.15
Far East.			
CHINA—Cents per silver dollar for Hongkong; per tael for Shanghai and Peking.			
Hongkong, demand	56.25	54.75	96.00
Hongkong, cables	56.35	54.85	96.50
Peking, demand	79.00	78.50	180.00
Shanghai, demand	72.50	72.00	168.50
Shanghai, cables	73.00	72.50	169.00
INDIA—Calcutta: Cents per rupee, stabilized at one-tenth of a pound sterling.			
Demand	26.00	26.00	46.00
Cables	26.50	26.50	46.50

Far East.	Monday.	Week Ago.	Year Ago.
PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—Manila: Par 50 cents per silver peso.			
Demand	45.25	45.50	49.00
Cables	45.75	46.00	49.25
JAVA—Par 40.2 cents per florin.			
Demand	32.50	32.50	....
JAPAN—Par 49.8 cents per yen.			
Demand	48.75	49.25	50.25
Cables	48.875	49.50	50.50
South America.			
ARGENTINA—Par 42.44c per Arg. paper dol.			
Demand	33.875	34.625	43.125
Cables	34.00	34.75	43.25
BRAZIL—Par 32.45 cents per paper milreis.			
Demand	14.375	14.375	27.75
Cables	14.50	14.50	27.875
Canada.			
MONTREAL—Par 100c per Canadian dollar.			
Demand	85.4	83.9	87.9

Russian Currency.

Prices for pre-revolution Russian ruble notes were as follows: Par 51.40 cents per ruble:

	Bid.	Asked.
100 ruble notes, par ruble	.65	.75
500 ruble notes, par ruble	.55	.65

SILVER BULLION.

Holiday in London. Last price 42d per ounce. New York prices for bar silver unchanged at 99½c per ounce, the Mint price; for foreign silver 1⅛c lower at 64¼c.

Range of prices for silver bullion this month:

	—Highest.—		—Lowest.—	
London	44⅝d	Dec. 3	38⅞d	Dec. 10
New York	70c	Dec. 3	59⅛s	Dec. 10

Range for the present year to date.

London	89½d	Feb. 11	38⅞d	Dec. 10
New York	70c	Dec. 3	59⅛c	Dec. 10

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE TRANSACTIONS.

MONDAY, DEC. 27, 1920.

Day's Sales.	Saturday.	Friday.	A Year Ago.	Two Years Ago.	Year to Date.	Same Period 1919.	1918.	1917.
656,461	Holiday.	606,915	1,218,444	1,183,246	219,719,760½	309,631,101	142,427,395	184,596,340

Closing. Bid.	Ask.	Sales.		First.	High.	Low.	Last.	Net Chge.
22	25	200	Adams Express	22	22	22	22	...
44⅛	45⅛	300	Advance Rumely pf	46	46	45	45	−⅛
24¾	25	400	Ajax Rubber	25¼	25½	25	25	−¼
⅞	1	1,400	Alaska Gold Mines	1	1	¾	⅞	...
⅞	1	400	Alaska Juneau	⅞	1	⅞	⅞	...
45	46	1,200	Allied Ch. & D., w. i.	46	46	45	45	−1
27¼	28¼	2,700	Allis-Chalmers	27½	27½	27	27	−1¼
67½	68½	200	Allis-Chalmers pf	67¼	67¼	67¼	67¼	−3¼
54⅜	54½	1,000	Am. Ag. Chemical	54¼	54⅝	54¼	54⅝	+⅛
37¼	39	800	Am. Beet Sugar	36½	37	36¼	37	+½
47½	49¼	300	Am. Bosch Magneto	48⅛	48⅛	48	48	−½
81¼	85	300	Am. Brake S. & F. pf	82¼	82¼	82	82	+½
22½	23	2,100	Am. Can	23	23	22½	22½	−1
76	77⅝	1,100	Am. Can pf	76½	77	76¼	76¼	−1¼
116¼	116¾	1,300	Am. Car & Foundry	116½	116½	115½	116½	−½
16⅛	17	1,300	Am. Cotton Oil	17	17¼	16⅛	16⅛	−⅝
..	60	100	Am. Cotton Oil pf	59½	59½	59½	59½	−½
6¾	6⅞	1,100	Am. Drug. Synd	7	7	6¾	6¾	−¼
113	125	200	Am. Express	113½	113½	113⅛	113⅛	−⅞
6	6½	400	Am. Hide & Leath	7	7	6	6	−1
37¼	37¾	400	Am. Hide & L. pf	39	39	37⅝	37⅝	−⅝
38	39	200	Am. Ice	38	38	38	38	+½
54	56	100	Am. Ice pf	53	53	53	53	...
32⅛	32⅝	2,600	Am. International	32¼	32⅝	32	32⅛	−⅜
9	9⅝	700	Am. La F. Fire Eng	9¼	9¼	9	9	−⅜
77	78	2,400	Am. Locomotive	78¼	78¼	77	77½	−1½
98¾	101	100	Am. Locomot. pf	100	100	100	100	+1
7½	7⅝	3,300	Am. Safety Razor	8⅛	8¼	7¼	7½	−1
8⅜	8½	1,700	Am. Ship & Com	8½	8⅝	8⅛	8¼	−¼
30¼	30¾	16,500	Am. Smelt. & Ref	35	35	30	30¼	−4¾
65	68	1,100	Am. Smelt. & R. pf	70⅝	70⅝	68	68	−6
29	29⅝	500	Am. Steel Found	29	29¼	29	29⅛	−⅛
88⅛	88½	500	Am. Sugar Ref	88¾	88¾	88	88	−1
98¾	99½	350	Am. Sugar Ref. pf	99	99	99	99	...
69¾	70½	700	Am. Sumatra Tob	69⅝	70½	69⅝	69¾	+⅛
47	53	10	Am. Tel. & Cable	47¼	47¼	47¼	47¼	...
94½	94¾	6,100	Am. Tel. & Tel	95	95	94¼	95	...
108½	109	800	Am. Tobacco	109	109½	108¼	109	−⅛
[illegible]	107	800	Am. Tob., Class B	106⅜	106⅞	106⅜	106⅞	+¼
86¼	87	300	Am. Tobacco pf	86½	86½	86½	86½	−⅝
57½	58	7,400	Am. Woolen	58¾	59	57¼	57⅛	−1⅛
89	92	200	Am. Wholesale pf	90	90	90	90	...
29	30	300	Am. Writ. Paper pf	30⅛	30⅛	29½	29½	−½
6⅛	6¼	300	Am. Zinc, L. & S	6	6⅛	6	6⅛	−⅛
27	29	100	Am. Zinc, L. & S. pf	28⅞	28⅞	28⅞	28⅞	−⅛
31½	31¾	7,700	Anaconda Copper	31⅞	32	31½	31½	−½
2¼	2¾	200	Assets Realization	2¼	2¼	2¼	2¼	−¼
18½	20	100	Assoc. Dry Goods	18½	18½	18½	18½	+½
52	55	300	Assoc. D. G. 1st pf	53⅞	54	53⅞	54	−½
80½	81	3,500	At., Top. & S. F	80⅛	80¾	79⅞	80¾	...
76¼	76¾	1,200	At., Top. & S. F. pf	76½	76½	76⅜	76½	−1¼
4½	5	200	Atlanta, Birm. & At	4½	4½	4½	4½	...
82	83	1,100	Atlantic C. L., ex d	83	83	82	82½	+½
6½	8	300	Atlantic Fruit	7	8	7	7	−¼
97½	98	10,800	At., Gulf & West I	100½	100½	96	97¾	−4¼
875	975	22	Atlantic Refining	925	925	890	890	...
14⅝	15	200	Atlas Tack	14⅞	14⅞	14⅝	14⅝	−⅜
8	9	4,200	Austin-Nichols	8	8⅛	8	8⅛	−⅛
..	56	500	Austin-Nichols pf	57⅞	57⅞	57⅞	57⅞	−3⅛
3⅛	4	400	Auto Sales	3½	3½	3	3	...
80½	81¼	15,800	Bald. Locomotive	82¼	82¼	80¼	81	−1¼
31⅝	31¾	7,600	Baltimore & Ohio	32⅜	32⅜	31½	31¾	−½
47¼	47¾	600	Balt. & Ohio pf	47¼	47¾	47¼	47⅞	−⅜
60	62	100	Barnet Leather pf	60¼	60¼	60¼	60¼	+¼
103	105	300	Barrett Ch. con., c.d.	104½	104½	103	103¾	−1¼
98¼	102	100	Barr't C. pf. con., c.d.	99⅛	99⅛	99⅛	99⅛	−3⅜
2¼	2½	600	Bethlehem Motors	2½	2½	2¼	2¼	−¼
50⅝	52½	500	Bethlehem Steel	49½	52½	49½	51½	+⅝
53⅜	53¾	3,500	Beth. Steel, Class B	53	54⅛	52⅛	53⅛	+⅝
99½	100½	200	Beth. Steel 8% pf	100	100	100	100	+½
3½	3⅝	300	Booth Fisheries	3½	3⅝	3½	3⅝	+⅛
9⅝	9¾	1,900	Brooklyn R. T	9¾	9⅞	9½	9½	−½
6⅛	6¾	400	B'klyn R.T. cfs. of d	6½	6½	6¼	6¼	−½
4	5	100	Bruns. Ter. & Ry. Sec	5	5	5	5	...
3⅞	4	400	Butte Copper & Z	4	4	4	4	...
8½	8⅝	1,300	Butte & Superior	8¾	8¾	8⅛	8½	−⅛
11	12	300	Butterick Co.	11	11¼	11	11¼	+¼
11½	11⅝	300	Caddo Cent. O. & R	11¾	11¾	11¾	11¾	−¼
58¼	59	200	California Packing	58¾	58¾	58½	58½	−½
4½	4⅝	1,300	Callahan Zinc	4¾	4¾	4⅝	4½	...
25¾	26¼	1,000	California Pet.	26¾	26¾	25¾	25¾	−⅝
42	42½	600	Calumet & Arizona	41¾	42	41⅝	42	...
112½	113½	900	Canadian Pacific	113	113½	113	113½	+⅝
72½	76	100	Case (J. I.) Co. pf	72	72	72	72	−1
32	32⅝	2,100	Central Leather	33	33	32⅛	32⅛	−1¼
82	85	200	Central Leather pf	83	83	83	83	+½
24¾	25	1,200	Cerro de Pasco Cop	25	25¼	24¾	24¾	−⅛
62	63	2,200	Chandler Motor	62¾	62¾	61⅝	62⅝	−⅝
56¼	57	3,600	Chesapeake & Ohio	55½	56⅞	54½	56⅞	+⅜
7	7½	100	Chi. & Alton	7½	7½	7½	7½	+⅜
7¼	7½	300	Chi. Great Western	7½	7½	7½	7½	+¼
17	17½	100	Chi. Gt. Western pf	17⅞	17⅞	17⅞	17⅞	+⅝
25¼	25⅝	4,200	Chi., Mil. & St. P	25⅞	26	25¼	25¼	−⅝
39	40	5,600	Chi., Mil. & St. P. pf	39¾	40	39	39⅛	−⅜
63¼	63½	4,700	Chi. & Northwest'n	64	64	62⅞	63⅜	−¼
101	102	200	Chi. & Northwest. pf	101¼	101½	101¼	101½	+1
60	63	100	Chi. Pneu. Tool	60	60	60	60	−2
24½	24¾	2,300	Chi., R. I. & Pac	24⅞	25	24⅜	24½	−⅝
68	68¾	200	Chi., R. I. & P. 7% pf	68⅞	68⅞	68⅝	68⅝	...
58½	59½	300	Chi., R. I. & P. 6% pf	58¾	59	58¾	59	...
9	9⅛	4,300	Chile Copper	9⅛	9¼	9	9⅛	...
17⅛	17⅝	3,100	Chino Copper	17¾	17¾	17	17¼	−½
33⅞	46½	300	Clev., C., C. & St. L	34½	34½	34½	34½	+1
42	43	100	Cluett, Peabody	42	42	42	42	+½
19⅛	19½	1,000	Coca-Cola	20	20	19⅛	19⅝	−½
25¼	26½	600	Colorado Fuel & I	27	27	26½	26½	−½
54¾	55	1,300	Colum. Gas & Elec	54½	54⅞	54	54⅞	−⅛
9¾	9⅞	3,500	Columbia Grapho	10	10	9⅝	9⅞	−⅜
57	58½	200	Colum. Grapho. pf	58½	58½	58½	58½	+½
34	35	300	Comput. Tab Rec	35½	35½	35⅛	35⅛	−⅛
52½	55	200	Con. Cigar	53	53	53	53	...
75	76	300	Con. Gas	74½	74½	74½	74½	−½
15¾	16¼	1,200	Con. Textile	16⅜	16⅜	16	16	−1
53⅝	58	300	Continental Can	54⅜	54⅜	54⅜	54⅜	−¼
3⅞	4⅝	2,300	Continental Candy	4	4¼	3⅞	4¼	...
64¼	64⅜	5,200	Corn Prod. Refin	65¾	65⅝	64	64½	−⅛
26½	27	300	Cosden & Co.	26½	27	26½	27	−½
75¼	75¾	23,200	Crucible Steel	78½	78½	74¼	75¼	−3¾
17⅝	17⅞	3,800	Cuba Cane Sugar	18	18¼	17¾	17⅞	−⅛
57	57½	2,000	Cuba Cane Sug. pf	56¼	57¾	56¼	57	...
26⅞	27	1,700	Cuban Am. Sugar	27⅛	27⅛	26	26½	−1¼
16½	19	700	De Beers Mines	17	17	16½	16¾	+¼
95	97	200	Del. & Hudson	95	95½	95	95½	−¼
190	195	600	Del., Lack. & West	195	195	195	195	...
¾	⅞	200	Denver & Rio G	¾	⅞	⅞	¾	−⅛
1½	1½	600	Den. & Rio G. pf	1⅝	1½	1⅝	1⅝	−⅛
9½	9¾	200	Dome Mines	9¾	9¾	9⅝	9⅝	−⅛
3½	4	100	Dul., S. S. & At	4	4	4	4	+1
6	8	100	Dul., S. S. & At. pf	7	7	7	7	+1⅜
15	15¼	500	Elk Horn Coal	15	15⅛	15	15	+½
37	40	100	Elk Horn Coal pf	37	37	37	37	+2
48	48¼	1,800	Endicott-Johnson	49½	49½	47¼	48	−1¼
82	84½	100	Endicott-John. pf	84½	84½	84½	84½	−½
12½	12¾	2,500	Erie	12¾	12⅞	12½	12⅝	+⅛
18	18½	900	Erie 1st pf	18	18¼	17⅞	18	...
45¾	46½	900	Famous Play.-Las	46½	47	46	46	−½
71	73	100	Fam. Play.-L. pf	71½	71½	71½	71½	−½
21¾	22½	200	Fed. M. & S. pf	22	22	22	22	−½
81	85	100	Fisher Body	81	81	81	81	+⅛
97	101	100	Fisher Body pf	97	97	97	97	−½
10⅛	10¼	1,900	Fisk Rubber	10⅛	10¼	10⅛	10¼	+⅛
13	13¼	1,200	Freeport-Texas	13⅝	13⅝	13	13	−1⅛
2⅛	2¾	1,600	Gaston, Wm. & W	2⅛	2¼	2	2	−⅞
37⅞	38½	2,100	General Asphalt	39⅝	39⅝	37½	38½	−⅛
117	119	200	Gen. C. Ch. C. c of d	120	120	120	120	−3
52½	53	300	General Cigar	52⅞	53	52⅞	53	−⅜
83	88	300	General Cigar pf	85	85	85	85	+¼
79	82	100	General Cig. deb. pf	79	79	79	79	−⅝
118	118¼	2,700	General Electric	118¼	118¼	117¼	118¼	−¼
13⅜	13½	16,300	General Motors	13½	13⅝	13¼	13½	+⅛
67	68	100	General Motors pf	67¼	67¼	67¼	67¼	+⅜
70½	71	400	General M. 7% deb	70⅝	71	70½	71	+½
59½	60	1,300	General M. 6% deb	59⅝	60	59⅝	59⅝	+¼
..	..	1,200	Goodrich (B.F.) Co	31¾	32⅜	31⅛	31⅛	−⅛
70	75	100	Goodrich pf	72	72	72	72	...
16	17	100	Granby Con	16⅞	16⅞	16⅞	16⅞	−⅝
72¾	73½	4,400	Great Northern pf	73	73½	72½	73	...
24⅞	25⅛	7,600	Gt. N. ctfs. for O. P	25⅜	25⅝	24⅞	24⅞	−½
17	18	300	Greene-Can. Cop	17	17	16⅞	16⅞	+½
11¼	11⅞	300	Guantanamo Sugar	12	12	11⅞	11⅞	−⅛
27	28	200	Gulf States Steel	27	27	27	27	−1
8½	10	300	Gulf, Mob. & Nor	9½	9½	9	9	...
22½	26	100	Gulf, Mob. & N. pf	23½	23½	23½	23½	+1½
52¾	53	800	Haskell & Barker	52¾	53	52¾	53	...
49½	60	100	Homestake Mining	50	50	50	50	...
62	63	2,200	Houston Oil	63¼	63⅝	61¼	62⅞	−2
10	10⅝	700	Hupp Motor Car	10⅝	10⅝	10	10⅛	+¼
84½	85	1,800	Illinois Central	85¼	85½	84½	85	−⅜
5⅞	6	1,000	Indiahoma Ref.	6⅛	6⅛	5⅞	6	...
28	28¼	5,300	Inspiration Copper	28¼	28½	28	28	...
3⅞	4	1,100	Interboro Consol	4	4	3¾	3⅞	−⅛
9½	9¾	200	Interboro Consol. pf	10	10	9½	9½	−⅝
11	11½	100	Inter. Agricultural	10½	10½	10½	10½	+½
44¾	46	100	Inter. Agri. pf	46	46	46	46	−1⅞
90	91	300	Inter. Harv., new	92½	92½	92	92	−1⅛
100	103	100	Inter. Hav. pf., new	102	102	102	102	−2
11½	11¾	1,700	Inter. Mer. Marine	12	12	11¼	11¼	−½
48½	48⅝	2,500	Inter. Me. M. pf	49¾	49¾	48½	48½	−½
30½	31	400	Inter. Motor Truck	32	32	31½	31½	−1
70	72	100	Do. 1st pf	71	71	71	71	+½
12	12½	3,700	Inter. Nickel	12½	12⅝	12	12	−½
42½	43½	1,200	Inter. Paper	44½	44½	42	43	−1
21⅛	21¼	2,000	Invincible Oil	21½	21½	21	21	−⅝
6	10	100	Iowa Central	7	7	7	7	+2
28	29	200	Iron Products	29	29	28½	28½	−2½
4⅝	4½	4,300	Island Oil & Trans	4⅝	4⅝	4¼	4½	−⅛
3⅛	3¼	700	Jewel Tea	3⅜	3⅜	3⅛	3⅛	...
8¼	9	35	Jewel Tea pf	8⅜	8⅜	8⅜	8⅜	...
13¾	13⅞	900	Jones Bros. Tea	13¾	14	13½	13⅞	+⅛
17	18	400	Kan. City Southern	18½	18½	18	18	...
42	44	200	Kan City South. pf	42¼	42¼	42¼	42¼	...
32	33	1,500	Kelly Springf. Tire	32½	32½	32⅛	32⅛	−⅜
35½	37½	100	Kelsey Wheel	37½	37½	37½	37½	+⅝
70	82	200	Kelsey Wheel pf	80	80	80	80	−2
15½	15⅝	8,000	Kennecott Copper	15⅝	15⅞	15½	15¾	+¼
7⅛	7¼	600	Keystone Tire & R	7⅛	7⅛	7	7⅛	+⅛
48½	49	2,600	Lack. Steel	48½	49	47¾	49	+½
16	17	100	Lee Rubber & Tire	16¼	16¼	16¼	16¼	−⅜
52½	53	2,100	Lehigh Valley	52½	52⅞	52¼	52⅞	+1⅜
128¼	139½	100	Liggett & Myers	128¾	128¾	128¾	128¾	+½
96	98	100	Liggett & Myers pf	98¾	98¾	98¾	98¾	+3½
14¾	15	4,000	Loews, Inc.	15	15⅛	14¾	15⅛	−¼
9½	9¾	500	Loft, Inc.	9¾	9⅞	9¾	9¾	−⅛
123	125	500	Lorillard (P.) Co	125	125	125	125	−1
98⅛	99	200	Louisville & Nash	98½	98½	98½	98½	+½
..	57	100	Mackay Cos. pf	57	57	57	57	+1
9	11	100	Mallinson & Co	9¾	9¾	9¾	9¾	+¼
63⅛	70	500	Manati Sugar	65	65	63¼	63¼	−2¼
43½	44	1,050	Manhattan El	45	45	43⅞	44	−1½
12	13	100	Martin-Parry	12½	12½	12½	12½	+½
2¼	2½	100	Maxwell Motors	2¼	2¼	2¼	2¼	+¼
3¾	5¾	200	Maxwell Mot. 1st pf	3½	3½	3¼	3¼	−¼
..	..	100	Do. cfs. d., sta. as'd	3½	3½	3½	3½	+⅜
..	3	100	Maxwell Mot 2d pf	2⅞	2⅞	2⅞	2⅞	−⅜
..	..	300	Do. cfs. d., sta. as'd	1¾	1⅞	1¾	1⅞	...
94	..	100	May Dept. Stores pf	96½	96½	96½	96½	+1¼
155	155¼	20,000	Mexican Petroleum	157⅞	157⅞	153⅛	155	−2¾
..	..	100	Mexican Pet. pf	95	95	95	95	+5
15	15⅝	700	Miami Copper	15	15¼	15	15⅛	+⅛
11⅞	12	5,700	Middle States Oil	12⅛	12⅛	11¾	12	−⅛
30	30¼	4,700	Midvale Steel	30½	30½	29⅞	30¼	+⅛
10¼	10½	400	Minn. & St. L., new	9⅞	10¼	9¾	10¼	+¼
66	67	100	M., St. P. & S. S. M	67¾	67¾	67¾	67¾	−⅜
2½	2⅞	1,500	Mo., Kan. & Texas	2⅞	2⅞	2⅝	2⅝	−⅜
4⅛	4½	300	Mo., Kan. & T. pf	4⅜	4⅜	4⅛	4⅛	−⅜
16	16½	3,800	Missouri Pacific	16½	16½	15⅞	16	−½
36½	36¾	1,300	Missouri Pacific pf	36¾	37¼	36⅛	36⅝	+⅛
48	53	100	Montana Power	48½	48½	48½	48½	+½
14½	14⅞	3,200	Montgomery Ward	14	14¾	13¾	14⅝	+1⅛
19¾	20½	100	Mullins Body	20¼	20¼	20¼	20¼	−¼
46½	47½	600	Nat. Anil. & Ch. cfs of deposit	47	47	47	47	−½
84	90	100	Do., pf. ctfs. of d	85	85	85	85	−¼
90	100	500	Nat. Biscuit	100	100	99	99	−1⅛
66	67	100	Nat. Cloak & S. pf	66¾	66¾	66¾	66¾	−1¼
2⅞	3	600	Nat. Cond. & Cable	3	3	2⅞	3	...
45½	46	200	Nat. Enam. & St	46	46	46	46	−¼
66½	66¾	200	Nat. Lead	66⅞	66⅞	66½	66½	−½
8⅝	8¾	900	Nevada Con. Cop	8⅝	8⅞	8⅝	8⅝	...
55	57	200	N. O., Tex. & Mex	56	56	56	56	−2
75	76	500	N. Y. Air Brake	76½	76½	75½	75½	−2¾
69⅛	69½	4,400	N. Y. Central	68¼	69¾	68	69	+⅛
52	53	200	N. Y., C. & St. L	53	53	53	53	+1⅛
39	42	200	N. Y. Dock pf	41	41	40	40	−2
16½	16⅝	5,900	N. Y., N. H. & H	16¼	17	16⅛	16½	+⅛
16⅝	16¾	100	N. Y., Ont. & Wets	17	17	17	17	−⅛
9½	10	200	Norfolk Southern	10	10	10	10	...
96½	97½	300	Norfolk & Western	96½	96⅝	96½	96⅝	+⅛
64	67	100	Norfolk & West. pf	64⅛	64⅛	64⅛	64⅛	−2⅞
49¾	50	100	North American	50	50	50	50	+¼
78	78¼	8,200	Northern Pacific	79	79⅜	77¼	78¼	−⅞
29¾	30½	1,400	Nova Scotia S. & C	32⅜	32⅜	30	30	−1⅝
9¾	10	100	Nunnally Candy	9⅞	9⅞	9⅞	9⅞	+⅜
9¾	10	100	Ohio Body & Blow	9⅞	9⅞	9⅞	9⅞	−⅛
3	3⅛	1,800	Okla. Prod. & Ref	3	3⅛	3	3⅛	+⅛
107	125	100	Otis Elevator	115	115	115	115	−2
24	24½	100	Orpheum Circuit	24	24	24	24	−¼
12⅞	13	1,400	Otis Steel	13	13	12⅞	13	−½
45	46	300	Owens Bottle	47⅛	47⅛	45	45	−½
11⅛	11¼	100	Pacific Develop	11⅜	11⅜	11⅜	11⅜	+⅛
46	46⅝	400	Pacific Gas & Elec	47	47	46	46	...
72⅝	73	5,700	Pan-Am. P. & T	73½	73½	71⅝	72⅞	−¼
67½	68	400	Do., Class B	67½	68	67½	68	−½
39	39¼	4,900	Penn. R. R	39⅜	39⅜	39	39	−⅜
7	8	700	Penn. Seab. Steel	7½	7½	7	7	−½
34	34¾	1,300	People's Gas, Chi	34⅜	34⅜	33½	33½	+¼
15⅜	15⅝	1,100	Pere Marquette	15⅝	16	15¼	15½	−¼
27½	28	800	Phillips Petroleum	28	28	27½	27½	−1
16¾	17	1,500	Pierce-Arrow	17¼	17¼	16⅝	17	...
61½	62½	800	Pierce-Arrow pf	64	64	62	62	−2
9⅝	10	1,700	Pierce Oil	10½	10½	9½	9½	−⅞
72	73	200	Pierce Oil 8% pf	72⅞	72⅞	72¼	72¼	−1⅞
28	28¼	700	Pitts. & West Va	28	28	27½	28	...
69	70	200	Pitts. & W. Va. pf	69¾	69¾	69¾	69¾	−1¼
12¼	12¾	100	Pond Creek Coal	12½	12½	12½	12½	−⅛
75	76	100	Pressed Steel Car	75	75	75	75	−1
91	96	100	Pressed Steel C. pf	91⅛	91¼	91⅛	91¼	+⅛
101½	103	800	Pullman Company	101	101½	101	101½	+½
43½	44	1,200	Punta Aleg. Sugar	43	44	43	43⅝	+⅝
31⅜	32	6,600	Pure Oil	31½	31¾	31⅛	31⅜	−⅛
77½	79	100	Ry. Steel Spring	77½	77½	77½	77½	...
20⅝	21	600	Rand Mines	21⅛	21⅛	20¾	21	+¼
11¼	11½	3,300	Ray Con. Copper	11¼	11⅜	10⅞	11⅜	...
79⅞	79⅞	10,300	Reading	79¼	80¼	78⅛	79½	+1
51	51½	300	Reading 1st pf	51	51½	51	51½	+1
54	55	500	Reading 2d pf	55	55	54⅝	55	−⅝
25	26	100	Rem. Typewriter	25⅛	25⅛	25⅛	25⅛	−¼
33¼	34¾	3,800	Replogle Steel	38	38	32	33⅜	−1⅜
58½	59	5,400	Rep. Iron & Steel	58¼	59¼	57¾	58⅞	−¼
60⅞	61⅛	4,800	Royal Dut. N. Y. sh	59½	61⅛	59½	61⅛	+1⅝
19½	19⅝	3,400	St. Louis-San Fran	19⅞	19⅞	19⅝	19⅝	−¼
23	24½	700	St. Louis Southwest	23⅞	24¼	23⅞	24¼	+1
4	4½	500	Santa Cecilia Sugar	3¾	4	3¾	4	+¼
10	10½	300	Savage Arms	10⅜	10⅜	10	10	−1½
2½	2⅞	300	Saxon Motor	2⅞	2⅞	2⅝	2⅝	−½
5½	6	1,600	Seaboard Air Line	5¾	6	5¾	5¾	−⅛
8⅞	9¼	100	Seaboard Air L. pf	9	9	9	9	...
91⅝	91¾	1,400	Sears, Roeb. & Co	91½	92	90¾	91¼	−2¼
16⅝	16¾	200	Seneca Copper	16½	16½	16⅜	16⅜	−¼
4¾	4⅞	200	Shattuck-Arizona	4⅞	4⅞	4⅝	4⅝	−½
39	39½	1,200	Shell Trans. & Trad	38½	39½	38¼	39½	...
21⅜	21⅞	16,800	Sinclair Consol. Oil	22½	22¾	21¾	21¾	−¼
44¼	45	500	Sloss-Shef. S. & I	45½	45½	45	45	−1
95	95¼	15,800	Southern Pacific	94⅝	96	94⅝	95⅛	+½
20¾	21	6,700	Southern Railway	20⅞	21	20½	21	...
56	57	400	Southern Ry. pf	56½	56½	56	56	−1½
150	155	244	Standard Oil, N. J	150	152	150	150	...
103½	103¾	1,100	Stand. O., N. J., pf	103¾	103¾	103½	103¾	...
77	79¼	100	Steel & Tube pf	78	78	78	78	−1
27	28	900	Stromberg Carb	28	28	27½	27½	−¾
41	41¼	5,400	Studebaker Co	42	42	40¾	41	−½
8½	8¾	700	Submarine Boat	8⅝	8⅝	8⅜	8½	−⅛
12½	13	600	Superior Oil	13	13	12⅞	12⅞	+⅞
42¾	47	1,000	Superior Steel	42¾	42⅞	42¾	42⅞	+¼
6½	6⅝	1,200	Tenn. Cop. & Chem	6⅞	7	6⅝	6⅝	−⅛
42⅝	42¾	15,700	Texas Co	43¼	43¼	42¼	42⅝	−⅜
16¼	16½	1,200	Texas & Pacific	16½	16½	15¾	16¼	+⅛
26	26⅝	4,000	Tex. Pac. Coal & O	25⅞	27	25⅝	26	−⅜
12¼	13¼	250	Third Avenue	12¼	12¼	12⅛	12¼	...
8½	8⅝	900	Times Sq. Auto Sup	8½	8½	8	8½	+¼
47½	49	500	Tobacco Products	47	48	47	48	...
6½	6⅝	3,800	Transcont. Oil	6¾	6⅞	6½	6½	−¼
36	36½	1,100	Transue & Wms	36	36	35½	36	−¼
35⅛	40	200	Twin City R. T	35½	35½	35½	35½	−½
65	71	300	Union Bag & Paper	65	67	65	67	+5¼
20¼	20½	1,400	Union Oil	20⅞	20⅞	20⅛	20⅛	−⅝
115¼	115⅝	4,700	Union Pacific	114⅝	115½	114⅛	115½	+⅜
63¾	64¼	900	Union Pacific pf	64	64¼	63½	64	...
28½	30	2,000	United Alloy Steel	28½	28½	28	28½	−¼
190¼	191	500	United Fruit	190¾	191	190	190	−4¾
9	9¼	100	United Ry. Invest	9	9	9	9	−½
17¾	18½	300	United Ry. Inv. pf	18½	18½	17¾	17¾	−⅛
48½	49	3,500	Un. Retail Stores	49⅜	49⅜	48	48¾	−½
10¾	12	300	U. S. C. I. P. & F	11	11	11	11	...
39	41½	300	U.S.C. I. P. & F. pf	39¾	39¾	39	39	−½
16⅜	17	1,200	U. S. Food Prod	16⅞	16⅞	16¼	16¼	−½
61	61½	4,400	U. S. Indus. Alco	62½	62⅝	61	61⅝	−1⅜
55	55¼	12,400	U. S. Rubber	56⅝	56⅞	54¼	55	−1⅛
97	98	600	U. S. Rub. 1st pf	98⅛	98⅛	97½	97½	...
31	31⅝	1,800	U. S. Sm., R. & M	30⅞	31	30½	31	−½
77⅝	77⅞	36,200	U. S. Steel	78⅜	78¼	77½	77⅝	−⅞
104⅞	105	2,700	U. S. Steel pf	105⅜	105⅜	104⅞	105	−⅜
47	47½	4,800	Utah Copper	47¼	47⅞	46⅝	47¼	−¼
29¾	30	10,600	Vanadium Corp	30½	30½	28½	29⅞	−¼
31	31¼	1,200	Va.-Car. Chemical	32⅛	32⅜	31⅛	31⅛	−1
81¼	85	100	Va. I., C. & C. x d	82	82	82	82	...
6⅞	7	1,300	V. Vivaudou	7⅜	7⅜	7	7	−⅜
7¼	7⅜	800	Wabash	7½	7½	7¼	7⅜	+⅛
19½	19½	1,700	Wabash pf. A	19½	19½	19	19½	−½
13¾	14	400	Wabash pf. B	13	13½	13	13½	+½
8	8¼	900	Weber & Heilbroner	8	8¼	8	8¼	+¼
50	52	100	Wells Fargo Exp	51⅛	51⅛	51⅛	51⅛	−½
10⅜	10⅝	1,500	Western Maryland	10¼	10⅝	10¼	10⅝	+½
24½	25½	400	Western Pacific	25¼	25¼	24½	24½	−½
64⅝	69	200	Western Pacific pf	65	65	64½	64½	−½
91½	92	300	Westingh. Air Br	92	92	91½	92	...
40¾	41	3,100	Westingh. E. & M	40⅞	41	40¾	40¾	−⅛
9½	9¾	2,300	Wheeling & L. E	8¾	9	8½	9	+½
16	17	700	Wheel. & L. E. pf	15½	16	15½	16	−¾
32½	33	900	White Motors	33	33	32¾	32½	...
15	15⅜	2,400	White Oil	15	15¼	14¾	15	−⅝
38	38½	500	Wilson & Co	38	38½	38	38½	...
5⅜	5½	5,600	Willys-Overland	5¼	5½	5¼	5½	+¼
28	29½	200	Willys-Overland pf	29¼	29¼	29¼	29¼	−⅝
40	41	300	Worthington Pump	40	40	40	40	−2
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..	..	3,100	General Electric	3⅝	3½	3⅜	3⅜	−⅛
22¼	22⅞	11,400	Southern Pacific	21⅞	22⅜	21⅞	22⅜	+⅜
13⅜	13¾	200	Tidewater Oil	13½	13⅝	13½	13⅝	−⅛

TOPICS IN WALL STREET.

Stock Market Sidelights.

In so far as yesterday's display was concerned, urgent selling, such as that which disrupted the stock market of a few days ago, was entirely lacking. On the other hand, it was decidedly apparent to Wall Street that only a thin market existed in a number of securities and rather sharp declines were recorded here and there throughout the list. On the whole, however, the market presented perhaps a better front than might have been expected. The upturn of last Friday was considered to be mainly an effect brought about by short covering as a precaution against the coming holiday. Hence, with the holiday having passed, it was possible that there might be a further drive launched against prices. This did not happen except in a moderate degree. To be sure, there was some scattered selling, probably the closing out of weak accounts in certain issues, and at the close there was an irregular price movement as the product of the day. Among the specialties some noteworthy upturns took place, but these were on such a small turnover as to be hardly indicative of the market in general. Some of the dividend-paying rails also showed strength, but on the whole the action of the market during the day was not such as to give ground for forming definite conclusions and traders were inclined to be cautious.

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Crucible Steel at New Low.

Crucible Steel was one of the issues which dipped into new low ground for the year. There has been steady pressure of liquidation against this issue recently. For one thing the supporting factor of earlier in the year, a stock distribution, has come to pass in part and the balance of stock available for distribution will probably not go to shareholders by any declaration of the immediate future. Furthermore, the steel business is not looking bright and indications of the moment do not seem to forecast a change for some time.

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Cost of Living Charts.

Looking at some of the index figures which are being compiled and which show a decided drop in the cost of living, one begins to think that his own particular purchasing must be all awry since it does not indicate the fall that the charts record. The chief difficulty lies in the fact that the charts are put together on the basis of an index figure made up from wholesale quotations. There have been some drastic reductions in the primary markets, but in retail lines the wholesale cuts are often only slightly recorded. The cost of living charts are, therefore, creating a false impression by the sharp downward curve of their lines.

November Railroad Earnings.

While a majority of the earnings statements of the railroads submitted to the Interstate Commerce Commission for November, show a fair degree of improvement over November, 1919, and a proportionate increase over the preceding month, little idea is given of just what the new rate schedules will yield to the roads. Some estimates have been made that the intrastate rate disagreement is costing the roads as a whole about $75,000,000 annually but these are guesses purely. The October returns show that the roads as a whole earned approximately $92,000,000 which was $20,000,000 below the amount they should have earned to provide a return of 6 per cent. on their aggregate property value as provided in the Transportation act.

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St. Paul's C. T. H. & S. Lease.

News from the West that the proposal of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul to lease the Chicago, Terre Haute & Southeastern was progressing was received in the financial district yesterday. The latter road has issued a circular showing that 12,400 shares of stock have approved the plan out of 48,000 shares while $2,291,600 of the income bonds have consented. To close the deal the St. Paul has stipulated that three quarters of the capital stock must be in favor of the lease.

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Car Surplus Growing.

Statistics just received in the financial district show that for the week ended Dec. 15, there was a surplus of freight cars on American railroads amounting to 91,472, the only kind of cars in which there was a deficiency as of that date being coal cars. This is further proof that the accumulations of freight which at one time in 1920 threatened to cause a total tieup of transportation have been eliminated. It serves also to show that a smaller volume of new business is being offered the roads.

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Another Steel Rail Order.

On the heels of the big order for steel rails by the Pennsylvania Railroad, which was announced last week, comes the report that the New York Central is in the market for 175,000 tons, 82,000 tons of which have been placed. Of the latter amount 71,000 tons have gone to the Illinois Steel Company and 11,000 tons to the Carnegie Steel Company. The balance of 93,000 tons is still being negotiated. The price for the rails was $47 a ton, which is the United States Steel Corporation quotation.

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Reading Plan Rumors.

While the rally in Reading shares was attributed to buying in sympathy with the forward movement of a number of the railroad shares, a renewal of rumors that a segregation plan would be presented soon may have had some effect. Officially there has been no formal statement regarding the plan other than that it was being worked upon. But yesterday rumors were circulated through the commission houses that a plan would be presented before Jan. 8 which is the last day of the time extension granted by the court in October. In view of the fact that less than a month ago the opinion was expressed that it would take years instead of months to distribute the assets of the Reading Company, yesterday's rumors were somewhat confusing.

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The Acceptance Market.

The market for bankers' acceptances continued extremely dull yesterday, following last week's poor market, but the dealers are confident that next week will see a brisk demand and are laying their plans with the idea in view that the savings banks will be in the market then on a large scale. Just now the savings banks are indulging in "window dressing" against the end of the year, and it is expected that they will be very high in cash by Monday next, at which time they are likely to begin real investing of their surplus funds. Unlike some other pre-report periods, there has been very little buying ahead for deferred delivery this season, and because of this and the general belief that they will have considerable amounts of ready cash, their buying next week is expected to be particularly good.

Bond Market Demand.

Bond men, too, are looking to next week to bring them good business. But whether this will result in the flotation of new securities, or whether bond houses will attempt to divert the demand into older issues, remains to be seen. In some places it is said that there are large accumulations of seasoned bonds awaiting distribution to the individual investor, and some of the bond people say they would like to get rid of this accumulation before bringing out new issues. The amount of new business in sight is reported to be very large, but there is question as to whether any considerable portion of it will be attractive enough to interest distributing bankers.

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WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—Approval was given by the Interstate Commerce Commission today for a loan of $5,200,000 to the National Railway Service Corporation, for the account of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad. The loan would enable the Baltimore & Ohio to purchase freight train equipment costing $14,233,000, of which amount it would be required to furnish about $9,000,000.

The National Railway Service Corporation is approved as an agency through which loans to carriers for equipment will be made, under authority granted the commission by the Transportation act.

California Petroleum Surplus.

The California Petroleum Company for the nine months ended Sept. 20, reports a surplus, after charges and taxes, of $1,795,399. This is equivalent, after preferred dividends, to $7.67 a share on the common stock. In the corresponding period of last year the earnings available for the common were quivalent to $5.65 a share.

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Stock Exchange Tightens Rules Against Dealings by Their Staffs.

The New York Stock Exchange has made more stringent the rules against speculative transactions by clerks. The Governors of the Exchange have approved the following amended resolution dealing with this subject:

"The taking or carrying of a speculative account or time making of a speculative transaction in which a clerk of the Exchange, or of a member of the Exchange, or of a firm registered tthereon, or a bank, trust company, insurance company, or of any corporation, firm or individual engaged in the business of dealing, either as broker or as principal, in stocks, bonds or other securities, bills of exchange, acceptances or other forms of commercial paper, is directly or indirectly interested, unless the written consent of the employer has first been obtained, shall be deemed to be an act detrimental to the interest and welfare of the Exchange."

BONDS ON STOCK EXCHANGE

MONDAY, DEC. 27, 1920.

	1920.	1919.	1918.
Day's sales	$19,741,000	$37,446,900	$44,486,000
Year to date	3,828,084,150	3,684,618,925	2,064,997,500

GOVERNMENT WAR LOANS.

Sales $1,000.	Issue.	Open.	High.	Low.	Last.	Net Ch'ge.	Closing— Bid.	Closing— Asked.	Yield.
736½	Liberty 3½s, 1932-'47	90.00	90.20	89.92	90.20	+.20	90.10	90.20	3.98
5	Liberty 3½s, reg	89.90	89.90	89.90	89.90	....	....	....	...
...	Liberty 1st 4s, 1932-'47	....	....	....	....	....	85.00	86.00	...
1	Liberty 2d 4s, 1927-'42	84.10	84.10	84.10	84.10	+.10	84.00	85.00	...
336	Liberty 1st conv. 4¼s, 1932-'47	85.60	85.60	85.20	85.50	....	85.60	86.00	5.20
4,006½	Liberty 2d conv. 4¼s, 1927-'32	84.60	84.60	84.10	84.16	—.44	84.16	84.20	5.15
27	Liberty 2d conv. 4¼s, 1932-'47	95.50	95.76	95.50	95.76	....	....	....	...
1,518½	Liberty 3d conv. 4¼s, 1928	87.30	87.50	87.14	87.26	+.06	87.30	87.36	6.28
4,151½	Liberty 4th 4¼s, 1933-'38	85.30	85.30	84.74	84.84	—.26	84.80	84.84	5.30
4	Liberty 4th 4¼s, reg	84.56	84.56	84.56	84.56	....	....	....	...
1,017	Victory 4¾s, 1922-'23	95.00	95.00	94.88	94.90	—.04	94.90	94.94	7.04
340	Victory 4¾s, reg	94.80	94.80	94.80	94.80	....	....	....	...
1,011	Victory 3¾s, 1922-23	94.90	95.00	94.86	94.94	—.02	94.92	94.96	6.04

Following sales are given in lots of $1,000:

Chinese Ry 5s
7..... 38½
7..... 39
City Berne 8s, temp ctfs
1..... 93
2..... 92¾
City Chris 8s, K,L&Co ctfs
1..... 93⅞
2..... 94
1..... 94¼
City Cpgn 5½s
5..... 72
City Lyons 6s, temp ctfs
2..... 73¾
3..... 73¾
2..... 76
City Mars 6s, temp ctfs
3..... 75⅞
5..... 76
City Paris 6s
20..... 91½
46..... 91⅝
6..... 91½
18..... 91¾
3..... 92
City Tokio 5s
3..... 42½
3..... 43
City Zurich 8s receipts
2..... 94¼
9..... 94
Dom Can 5s, 1921
5..... 98⅞
5s, 1926
3..... 86½
5½s, 1929
3..... 89
1..... 88½
1..... 88¾
1..... 88½
5s, 1931
2..... 81½
French Gov 8s
1.....100
1..... 99⅞
9.....100
1.....100⅛
½.....100½
1.....100
14..... 99⅞
1.....100
1.....100½
3..... 99⅞
4.....100
Gov Switz 8s, temp rcts
2.....102
5.....103⅜
5.....103½
4..... [illegible]
1.....102¾
Jap Gov 4½s, ster loan
3..... 75¾
2d series
6..... 75¾
4s, ster loan
2..... 55¼
4..... 55
14..... 55
King of Belg 7½s, rects
1..... 95⅞
1..... 95⅝
1..... 95¼
24..... 95
1..... 95½
6s, 1925
5..... 84¾
1..... 85⅝
Rep Cuba 4½s
2..... 60⅞
5s of 1904
1..... 75¼
UnKofGtBr&I 5½s, 1921
31..... 97¾
5½s, 1922
1..... 94⅝
1..... 94½
14..... 94⅝
38..... 94⅞
25..... 94½
48..... 94¾
5..... 94½
5½s, 1929
12..... 87
10..... 86½
25..... 87
5..... 86¾
5..... 86⅝
5..... 87
4..... 86½
10..... 86¾
9..... 87
2..... 86½
5½s, 1937
2..... 82⅞
1..... 83
1..... 83⅛
1..... 82¾
57..... 83¼
7..... 82⅞
3..... 83¼
6..... 83
4..... 82¾
25..... 83
1..... 83⅛
1..... 83
4..... 83¼
2..... 83
10..... 82¾
2..... 83¼
US of Mex 4s
1..... 29½
5s
10..... 38½
5..... 38¼
N Y City 4s 1959
7..... 81¾
7..... 82
4¼s, 1964
3..... 85¾
4½s, 1967
1..... 90¾

Adams Ex 4s
1..... 56
AlsGM cv deb 6s, Ser A
3..... 14
Alb & S 3½s
1..... 69½
AmAgC deb 5s
1..... 88
Am Sm & Ref temp 1st 5s
1..... 71⅝
14..... 71½
12..... 72
AmT&T cv 4s
1..... 63
col 4s
1..... 72¼
10..... 72½
17..... 72½
6..... 72¾
col tr 5s
1..... 76
10..... 75½
5..... 75⅝
10..... 76
2..... 75¾
10..... 75½
9..... 75¾
9..... 76
12..... 75½
conv 6s
2..... 94
9..... 93¾
Armour 4½s
14..... 75
2..... 74¾
2..... 74⅞
1..... 74¼
2..... 74
A,T&SFgen 4s
10..... 73½
4..... 73⅝
4..... 73½
3s30f. 73½
35..... 73⅞
25..... 73¾
3s30f. 73⅝
4..... 73¾
2..... 74
adjust 4s
1..... 68¾
1..... 68½
stamped
1..... 68½
15..... 68⅛
10..... 68
1..... 67½
11..... 68
cv 4s, 1955
1..... 67
cv 4s, 1960
40..... 70
5..... 70¾
Cal-Ariz 1st & ref 4½s
10..... 77½
8..... 77¼
Tr S L 4s
11..... 71⅛
A & C A L 1st 5s, Ser B
2..... 86½
5..... 84⅞
2..... 85¼
ACLine 1st 4s
10..... 75¾
11..... 76
gen unif 4½s
5..... 70½
3..... 70⅝
L & N col 4s
1..... 66
10..... 66½
1..... 66¾
1..... 66½
Atl Fruit 7s
5..... 55
4..... 54⅞
9..... 55
6..... 54
4..... 54½
1..... 54⅝
B & O gold 4s
1..... 63⅞
1..... 64¼
1..... 64
1..... 63⅞
5..... 64
1..... 63¾
pr lien 3½s
1..... 79½
conv 4½s
5..... 63½
18..... 63¼
5..... 63¾
1..... 63
13..... 63½
1..... 63⅝
3..... 63¾
11..... 63⅞
2..... 63
3..... 63¾
ref 5s
15..... 64
2..... 64⅛
18..... 64½
6s
2..... 87½
2..... 87⅝
7..... 87¾
1..... 87¼
1..... 88
1..... 87¾
3..... 87⅛
1..... 87½
11..... 87⅛
P L E & W V 4s
22..... 60⅞
2..... 60½
3..... 61
Tol C Div 4s
2..... 52
1..... 51¾
3..... 50
1..... 50⅛
B T of Pa 7s, int receipts
4.....101½
1.....101⅝
2.....101⅝
2.....101⅞
1.....101⅝
5.....101½
B S 1st & r 5s
1..... 76⅞
2..... 77¼
2..... 77
pur money 3s
10..... 75
8..... 74½
25..... 74
B'way & 7th Av 1st c 5s
2..... 36
B R T 7s, '21
4..... 40½
13..... 41½
cfs of dep
10..... 40¼
97..... 40½
stamped
7..... 35
B Un Gas 5s
1..... 74⅝
C So c 5s, Ser A
10..... 82½
5..... 82⅝
Can Nor 7s, int receipts
9..... 99¼
Cen of Ga Ry 6s
1..... 84¾
Cent Lea 5s
1..... 86¼
1..... 85½
Cen Pac gtd 3½s
6..... 72½
5..... 72⅝
gtd 4s
3..... 71¼
4..... 70½
11..... 71
7s30f.. 70
26..... 71
C & O cv 5s
5..... 79¼
1..... 79
20..... 79½
conv 4½s
1..... 71
10..... 70¼
5..... 70
2..... 70⅝
6..... 71
gen 4½s
9..... 72⅞
6..... 72⅝
6..... 73
5..... 72¾
conv 5s
2..... 80
5..... 79⅛
5..... 79½
C & Alton 3s
3..... 42¼
3½s
1..... 35½
1..... 35⅝
C, B & Qy gen 4s
12..... 75
joint 4s
2..... 95¼
2..... 95⅝
4..... 95¼
15..... 95¼
3..... 95
2..... 95¼
5..... 95½
5..... 95¼
9..... 95⅝
28..... 95½
5..... 95⅝
5..... 95½
1..... 95¾
Ill Div 3½s
25..... 70
Nebr ext 4s
4..... 87⅝
Chic Ct Wn 4s
4..... 48½
6..... 48⅝
1..... 49
12..... 48½
C. M & St P 4s, 1925
5..... 72
2..... 71
4s, 1934
36..... 58¼
gen 4s, S A
5..... 64½
gen 3½s, Ser B
10..... 56⅝
conv 4½s
5..... 64
4..... 63¾
3..... 63⅛
12..... 64
3..... 63½
2..... 63¾
3..... 63½
9..... 63¾
1..... 65
cv 5s, Ser B
20..... 64
ref 4½s
8s7f... 58
1..... 58⅝
4..... 58
9..... 58¼
8..... 58⅝
3..... 58½
1..... 58¼
5..... 58½
13..... 58⅛
13..... 58
Chic & N W gen 4s
3..... 73
stamped
2..... 72⅞
gen 5s
1..... 92⅞
deb 5s, 1933
1..... 86¾
1..... 86½
sink fund 5s
7..... 89¼
7s, temp cfs
5.....102¼
Chic Rys 5s
2..... 54¾
2..... 54½
9..... 54⅛
3..... 54⅛
4..... 54¼
5..... 54⅝
5..... 54½
C, R I & P Ry ref 4s
6..... 64¼
5..... 64⅛
64..... 64
6s30f.. 64
5..... 64½
28..... 64
20..... 64⅝
4..... 65
10..... 64
2..... 65
C & W I c 4s
1..... 54⅞
9..... 55
1..... 53⅞
5..... 54
C Un Sta 4½s, Ser A
2..... 76
Chile Cop 7s
8..... 90
40..... 90½
5..... 90
Chile Cop col tr 6s
17..... 62¾
4..... 63
5..... 62⅝
8..... 62½
C, C, C & S L ref & imp 6s
1..... 86⅝
9..... 86¼
St L div 4s
7..... 67½
Tol&So 1st 4s
14..... 77
ref & ext 4½s
10..... 71
Comp-Tab-Rec s f 6s
2..... 79
Con Gas cv 7s
4..... 99½
1.....100
1..... 99½
1.....100
Cuba C Sug conv 7s
5..... 78½
5..... 78¾
7..... 79
5..... 78⅝
6..... 78¼
8..... 78½
3..... 79
3..... 78½
10..... 78⅝
5..... 78¼
2..... 78¼
15..... 78½
Del & Hudson temp 7s
18.....103
conv 5s
1..... 81
1..... 80
Den & Rio G con 4s
1..... 62½
4s30f.. 61½
8..... 62
2..... 61¾
1st & ref 5s
2..... 40½
50..... 40
50..... 40¼
4..... 40
Det Edi ref 5s
10..... 77⅞
Det Riv T 4½s
3..... 73¼
2..... 73¼
Det United Ry con 4½s
19..... 59
Erie 1st con 4s
2..... 50¼
1..... 50
1..... 50½
1st gen 4s
18..... 39¾
1..... 40
4..... 39¾
10..... 40
5..... 40¼
10..... 40
cv 4s, Ser A
5..... 34¾
10..... 34½
Ser B
12..... 34¼
10..... 34⅝
4..... 34
1..... 34¼
cv 4s, Ser D
3..... 39¼
5..... 39
5..... 38⅞
5..... 38⅝
Erie Pa col tr 4s
10..... 72
GenElec deb 5s
2..... 86
deb 6s
7..... 99
Grd Trunk Ry 7s, int rcts
1.....100
9..... 99⅝
4..... 99¾
1.....100
Harlem River Porchester 4s
1..... 63
Hav El Ry 5s
1..... 64¼
7..... 64¼
3..... 64½
1..... 65
Hud & M 1st & ref 5s, Ser A
3..... 57
1..... 56¾
adj inc 5s
1..... 21
5..... 21¼
Ill Cent 4s, '53
5..... 67½
ref 4s
1..... 72
temp 5½s
7..... 87¾
1..... 87¼
1..... 87½
Lo div 3½s
2..... 63¼
Ill C & Chi,SL &NO jt 5s,SA
1..... 78½
1..... 79
5..... 78¾
Ill Steel 4½s
5..... 75¾
Ind Steel 5s
2..... 88¼
20..... 85⅝
1..... 85¼
5..... 85⅝
Int-Met 4½s
5..... 15¼
1..... 15
7..... 14⅝
1..... 14½
2..... 15
30..... 14¾
11..... 14½
4..... 15
19..... 14⅝
7..... 14¼
12..... 14
cfs of dep
33..... 13
5..... 12½
13..... 12
Int Rap Tran 1st & ref 5s
5..... 48¼
5..... 48
3..... 48¼
5..... 48½
20..... 48
15..... 48¼
5..... 48
2..... 48¼
1..... 48
75..... 47¾
25..... 47⅝
10..... 47¾
2..... 47⅝
2..... 47½
7..... 47⅝
8..... 47½
5..... 47⅝
3..... 47¾
5..... 47¾
25..... 48¼
Int Mer Mar s f 6s
3..... 76
1..... 75⅞
2..... 76
1..... 75¼
8..... 75¾
3..... 76
1..... 75¾
1..... 77
2..... 76
1..... 75¾
2..... 76
Ia Cent 1st 5s
1..... 70
KC,FtS&M 4s
7..... 62
15..... 62¼
Kan C So 5s
3..... 71
3s
1..... 52⅞
Kan C Ter 4s
5..... 69
14..... 68¼
Lack Steel 5s, 1923
5..... 90½
L S & M So 4s, 1928
4..... 80
10..... 79
4s, 1931
5..... 78
Leh Vy of Pa con 4½s
1..... 77
2..... 76½
Leh Vy col tr 6s, temp rcts
4..... 97½
Liggett & M 7s
3.....101
5s
3..... 78
4..... 78¾
Long Isl ref 4s
1..... 66¼
Lorill'd Co 7s
1.....103¾
5s
7..... 77
2..... 75
Louis & Nash unified 4s
5..... 78¼
1..... 78¼
20..... 78¼
col tr 5s
1..... 88
Lou & Jeff Bdge 4s
1..... 64½
ManhatCon4s
12..... 51
Midvale Steel col trust 5s
2..... 72⅝
1..... 72½
1..... 73
4..... 73¼
11..... 73
5..... 72½
M,LS&W 1st5s
1..... 99½
M & St L ref & ext 5s
11..... 45
M,K&T 1st 4s
9..... 56½
34..... 56
5% notes
4..... 84
Mo Pac gen 4s
1..... 52
3..... 51½
7..... 51
2..... 51¼
1..... 51⅝
11..... 51⅝
2..... 51½
1..... 51⅝
5..... 51½
Mob & O, St L & C gtd 4s
1..... 70½
Mont Tram 1st ref 5s
10..... 65
Morr & Es 1st & ref 3½s
10..... 67
N, C & St L 1st con 5s
5..... 90
N O Terml 4s
10..... 59½
17..... 58⅝
1..... 58¾
NO,T&M inc5s
1..... 52
N Y Cent 7s, int rcts
2.....100⅝
2.....100⅝
deb 6s
4..... 87¾
1..... 88
26..... 87¼
1..... 87¾
6..... 87½
29..... 87⅛
3..... 87½
45..... 87
20..... 87⅞
10..... 87¼
1..... 87¾
20..... 87¼
gen 3½s
3..... 66
6..... 65⅝
5..... 66
22..... 65¾
con 4s, A
1..... 65
5..... 66
39..... 65½
3..... 66
ref & imp 4½s, A
10..... 73¼
10..... 73½
2..... 73
L S col 3½s
1..... 58
3..... 58½
10..... 59
M C col 3½s
1..... 58¾
N Y Conn RR gtd 4½s
4..... 75¼
3..... 75
NYG,EL,H&P col tr 5s
10..... 78¼
N Y, N H & H cv deb 6s
7..... 58½
2..... 58⅝
5..... 58
6..... 58½
15..... 57½
10..... 57¼
NYRys ref 4s
5..... 16
ctfs of dep
2..... 15¾
5..... 16
adj 5s
30..... 3⅛
4..... 3
ctfs of dep
5..... 3¼
23..... 3
NY State Rys con 4½s
8..... 46⅞
3..... 46¾
2..... 46½
2..... 46⅝
NY, S & W 1st ref 5s
1..... 56
N Y Tel s f deb 6s
5..... 83
1..... 83⅞
15..... 83¼
1..... 83⅝
10..... 84⅛
4½s
5..... 73
10..... 72⅞
8..... 73
4..... 72⅞
5..... 73
4..... 72½
15..... 73
5..... 72⅞
27..... 73
NY,W&B4½s
14..... 32
3..... 31¾
6..... 32
Niag F P Co ref 6s
1..... 91
N & W con 4s
22..... 74
15..... 74¾
conv 6s
3.....102⅝
Poc C & C 4s
4..... 75
Nor Pac 4s
24..... 74¼
26..... 74⅜
24..... 74¼
5..... 73⅞
69..... 74
Nor Pac 3s
1..... 53⅞
3..... 53½
4..... 53¾
1..... 54
ref & imp 4½s
3..... 74⅜
Nor States P 1st & ref 5s
1..... 76
Ore&Cal 1st 5s
3..... 86¾
3..... 87
1..... 88
OreR&N con4s
5..... 73½
Ore-Sh Line gtd ref 4s
2..... 77¼
3..... 77
3..... 77½
O-W R R & N 1st & ref 4s
11..... 69
Pac C 1st 5s
20..... 69
Pac G & El 5s
68..... 78
2..... 78⅛
Penn gtd 4½s
4..... 98⅛
5..... 98
4s, 1948
1..... 80⅞
con 4½s
30..... 88¼
10..... 88
gen 4½s
4..... 75½
13..... 75¼
gen 5s
1..... 84⅝
1..... 85
5..... 84
2..... 84½
23..... 84⅝
5..... 84¼
1..... 84⅝
2..... 84⅛
3..... 84
5..... 84⅝
3..... 84½
10..... 84
gold 7s
4.....103⅝
3.....104
2.....103⅞
6.....104
Pere M 1st 4s
1..... 65¼
1st 5s
1..... 79¾
Philip'e Ry 4s
2..... 35⅞
49..... 36
P, C, C & St L g 4s, S G
2..... 80⅝
P S Cp s f 5s
1..... 57¾
Read gen 4s
2..... 76
15..... 76⅛
10..... 76
4..... 76¼
20..... 75½
3..... 75⅝
R Gr W 1st 4s
3..... 61
R & Pit 1st
1..... 99⅝
R I, A & L 4½s
2..... 64
St J & G I 1st 4s
5..... 64
St L, Ir Mt & So gen 5s
6..... 81⅛
unify & r 4s
2..... 69
St L & S Fr p l 4s, S A
1..... 60
15..... 59⅝
21..... 60¼
p l 5s, S B
4..... 71
1..... 71⅝
5..... 71⅛
1..... 71
8..... 71⅛
2..... 71⅝
4..... 71⅛
4..... 71
p l 6s, S C
10..... 82½
8..... 83⅞
2..... 84
adj 6s
27..... 60
6..... 59½
14..... 60
2..... 59½
income 6s
7..... 46⅝
5..... 46½
4..... 46¾
22..... 46⅝
10..... 46½
2..... 46½
2..... 46
St L S W 1st 4s
3..... 65
12..... 65¼
1st term 5s
1..... 60½
5..... 60
1..... 60½
2..... 61
con 4s
2..... 59½
20..... 59¾
St P & K C S L 1st 4½s
2..... 62
1..... 61
St P, M & M ext 4s
12..... 80¼
San An & A P 4s
12..... 57⅛
S Air L ref 4s
3..... 39
3..... 38
adj 5s
4..... 32¼
1..... 32⅞
1..... 33¼
gold 4s, stpd
3..... 50½
7..... 50¼
4..... 50¼
So B T & T 1st 5s
2..... 80
So Pac col 4s
1..... 68⅞
3..... 68½
conv 4s
5..... 73½
5..... 73¾
10..... 73½
25..... 73⅝
4..... 73¾
10..... 73⅝
2..... 73¾
18..... 73⅞
conv 5s
1..... 95¼
29..... 95
10..... 96
conv 4s
15..... 73½
25..... 73⅝
1..... 73¼
12..... 73½
1..... 73¼
So P S F t 4s
1..... 69½
So Ry 1st 5s
5..... 81⅛
1..... 81
gen 4s
1..... 58⅝
8..... 58½
4..... 58¼
1..... 58
2..... 58⅛
4..... 58
4..... 58¼
M & O col 4s
1..... 58½
Third Av r 4s
2..... 42
2..... 42¼
6..... 42
5..... 42¼
adj 5s
2..... 24⅝
1..... 24½
10..... 25
10..... 24¼
T, St L & Wn 4s
1..... 49⅝
Un Pac 1st 4s
3..... 79¼
2..... 78½
5..... 78⅝
45..... 78¾
5..... 78⅝
1..... 78¾
14..... 78⅝
16..... 78¾
Un Pac cv 4s
2..... 79¼
1st & ref 4s
3..... 74
2..... 73⅝
4..... 74
Union Pac 6s
3..... 99
2..... 99½
4..... 98½
15..... 98
U Rys Inv 5s, Pitts issue
2..... 64⅝
U RR SF 4s, Un Tr c of d
2..... 26
USRubber7s
1..... 95⅝
U S Rub 7½s
2..... 95⅝
5..... 95
1st & ref 5s
17..... 72
5..... 72½
2..... 72
1..... 71¾
1..... 72¼
5..... 72½
1..... 72⅝
2..... 72½
22..... 73
4..... 72⅞
1..... 72½
10..... 72⅝
US Sm, R & M cv 6% notes
5..... 87¼
US Stl Corp s f 5s
4..... 89⅛
1..... 90
1..... 89¾
2..... 90
5..... 89¾
3..... 89⅞
10..... 90
23..... 89⅛
1..... 89½
10..... 89¾
15..... 89½
5..... 89⅝
4..... 89½
registered
2..... 89¼
Utah P & L 5s
8..... 76
1..... 76¼
6..... 76
1..... 76¼
5..... 76
Va-C Ch 1st5s
2..... 69¾
Va Ry & P 5s
2..... 62½
VirgnRy 1st5s
5..... 81
1..... 80¾
1..... 81
Wabash 1st 5s
2..... 85
10..... 84½
Wn Maryld 4s
9..... 50⅝
4..... 51
WNY&P 1st 5s
1..... 85
Westn Pac 5s
1..... 80½
1..... 80¼
West Shore 4s
12..... 68
4s, reg
1..... 66½
W U Tel col trust 5s
6..... 78⅝
4..... 78½
WUfd&re4½s
5..... 74⅝
Westing E & M temp 7s
1..... 94⅝
1..... 94½
2..... 94⅛
2..... 94½
1..... 94⅝
2..... 94¼
4..... 94½
4..... 94⅝
12..... 94¼
3..... 94¼
5..... 94
6..... 94¼
2..... 94½
Wheel & L E 1st con 4s
4..... 50¾
ref 4½s, A
5..... 47
Wilson & Co 1st 6s
7..... 82⅞
1..... 82¾
2..... 82⅞
5..... 82¾
cv s f 6s
1..... 80
30..... 79
Wis C, Sup & Dul Div & Term 4s
2..... 63½

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Middle West Utilities Company

Twenty-Year 8% Secured Gold Notes, Series "B"

Dated December, 1, 1920 **Due December 1, 1940**

Interest payable June 1 and December 1. Coupon Notes in interchangeable denominations of $1,000, $500 and $100, registerable as to principal only. Redeemable or purchasable as a whole or in part at any time after November 30, 1925, upon 30 days' notice at 107½ and accrued interest during the five years ending November 30, 1930, 105 during the five years ending November 30, 1935, 102½ during the twelve months ending November 30, 1936, 102 during the twelve months ending November 30, 1937, 101½ during the twelve months ending November 30, 1938, 101 during the twelve months ending November 30, 1939, and 100½ during the twelve months ending November 30, 1940. Interest payable without deduction for normal Federal Income Tax, not in excess of 2%.

The Middle West Utilities Company through its subsidiary companies operates in the following fifteen states: Illinois, Indiana, Kentucky, Maine, Michigan, Missouri, Nebraska, New Hampshire, New York, Oklahoma, Tennessee, Texas, Vermont, Virginia and Wisconsin. The Company's subsidiaries serve 496 communities, having a combined estimated population of 1,317,200. On October 31, 1920, electric customers numbered 221,881, gas 54,784, water 24,778, a total of 301,443 customers for these services alone.

These Notes will be secured by pledge of mortgage bonds on properties of subsidiary companies owned entirely, or controlled by the Middle West Utilities Company, the bonds so to be pledged as security for the present issue of $2,134,000 Series "B" Notes aggregate $3,859,000 par value, or $180.83 par value of bonds pledged for each $100 par value of Notes outstanding. An additional $366,000 par value of Series "B" Notes may be issued upon the deposit of not less than $549,000 par value of mortgage bonds.

The equity behind these Notes, represented by investment in junior securities of the Company and the reserves and surplus earnings retained in the business, aggregates over $25,000,000.

No Notes of Series "B" may be certified unless the net earnings of each company, mortgage bonds of which are pledged hereunder, are equal to at least 1½ times the annual interest charge on all bonds outstanding under such mortgages and all indebtedness secured by any mortgage equal or superior in lien.

The latest available consolidated statement of earnings of the companies, mortgage bonds of which are to be pledged to secure the present issue of Notes, shows that the ratio of net earnings to annual interest requirements of all bonds outstanding under such mortgages and all indebtedness secured by any mortgage equal or superior in lien, is equal to 1.80.

A Sinking Fund is provided for the Series "B" Notes with semi-annual payments, June 1 and December 1, amounting to $25,000 each. Payments are to be made in cash, which shall be applied to the purchase or redemption of Notes of this series at not exceeding the redemption price, or in Series "B" Notes at par. Notes so acquired or presented shall be cancelled and pro rata collateral may be withdrawn.

The earnings of the Middle West Utilities Company, as officially reported, for the twelve months ended October 31, 1920, show a net balance of $2,281,670.90 available for the annual interest of $996,910 on $4,634,000 8% Secured Gold Notes, Series "A" and "B," $9,336,500 Ten-Year 6% Collateral Gold Bonds and $1,100,000 Three-Year 6% Gold Notes.

For more complete information we direct attention to a letter of Samuel Insull, Esq., President of the Company, from which the above statements are summarized and copies of which will be supplied upon request.

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The following are examples of bonds selling at prices commensurate with their value simply as bonds; also they have convertible features that may well be of substantial additional value:

	Price	*Yield*
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Chesapeake & Ohio Ry. Co., 30-yr. Conv. secured 5's, 1946	79½	6.70%
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RAILROAD EARNINGS CUT BY WAGE RISE

Returns of Eight Companies Compare Unfavorably With 11 Months Last Year.

IMPROVE IN NOVEMBER

Benefits of Higher Rates Uncertain, Pending Intrastate and Interstate Ruling.

Earnings reports of eight of the railroads as submitted to the Interstate Commerce Commission for the month of November, which reached Wall Street yesterday, make a fairly good comparison with the corresponding month in last year, although the story is different as regards the eleven months of this year ended with Nov. 30. As compared with October reports, some of the figures show improvement while others are below the amounts shown in that month. Because of the conflict between the States and the Interstate Commerce Commission regarding interstate and intrastate rate schedules, the reports still fail to show just what the benefits of higher rate schedules have been.

How soon the dispute will be settled is a matter of conjecture, although the opinion has been expressed that the Illinois case, which is generally considered as the test, may be disposed of before the first quarter of 1921. Should the Illinois case be adjudged in favor of interstate rates over intrastate rates it would, in the opinion of railroad counsel, serve as an automatic stop to long drawn out litigation by the other States.

While some of the November earnings statements have proven an agreeable surprise, the reports for the eleven months have been the reverse. In some quarters the showing is not as bad as had been expected, however, and the entire situation is considered as slowly bettering itself. Following are some of the reports received yesterday:

	Nov., 1920.	Increase.
Norfolk & Southern—		
Gross	$635,077	$111,566
Net	86,194	141,598
11 months' gross	7,179,434	1,302,358
11 months' net	502,118	519,122
Seaboard Air Line—		
Gross	4,277,094	737,201
Net	627,783	769,798
11 months' gross	44,705,786	7,209,808
11 months' net def	3,353,937	*5,386,658
Delaware & Hudson—		
Gross	4,151,759	1,338,586
Net	487,308	494,902
11 months' gross	39,886,417	8,075,437
11 months' net	1,386,168	*769,623
Norfolk & Western—		
Gross	9,088,043	2,215,982
Net	1,114,790	695,738
11 months' gross	78,107,975	7,753,273
11 months' net	1,522,187	*8,473,097
Rutland R. R.—		
Gross	547,198	98,272
Net operating def	300,255	*59,288
11 months' gross	5,432,020	1,000,235
11 months' oper. def	125,813	85,316
Delaware, Lack. & Western—		
Gross	8,606,028	2,465,734
Net	1,113,445	183,871
11 months' gross	73,446,493	7,929,592
11 months' net	2,418,313	*8,661,576
Buffalo, Rochester & Pittsburgh—		
Gross	2,175,487	1,336,559
Net	595,533	873,840
11 months' gross	19,613,461	6,663,689
11 months' net	1,976,372	2,841,685
Carolina, Clinchfield & Ohio—		
Gross	774,432	244,820
Net	291,467	142,956
11 months' gross	6,899,336	1,200,926
11 months' net	2,554,812	1,252,225

*Decrease.

One of the chief reasons that the eleven months earnings are so unfavorable is that the roads had to bear the burden of the last wage increase, which was retroactive until May 1, 1920, through the intervening months to September before the rate increases went into effect.

Trust Co. Stock Increased $500,000.

The Board of Directors of the American Trust Company voted yesterday to increase the capital stock of that institution to $1,500,000 from $1,000,000. After the meeting it was stated that this will make the capital surplus and undivided profits of the company more than $2,000,000.

EQUIPMENT BONDS.

Quoted on a Percentage Basis.

Name	Maturity.	Rate.	Bid.	Ask.
Balt. & Ohio	1920-'27	4½	7.75	7.00
Bethlehem Steel	1920-'30	7	7.75	7.00
Buff., R. & Pitts.	1920-'33	4½@5-6	7.25	6.50
Canadian Pacific	1920-'32	4½@6	7.50	6.40
Ches. & Ohio	1924-'35	6½	6.75	6.40
Chicago & N. W.	1920-'23	4½	7.10	6.40
Chi. R. I. & P.	1920-'27	4½@5	7.75	7.00
C., St. L. & N. O.	1920-'24	5	7.37	6.50
C., C., C. & St. L.	1920-'29	5 @6	7.12	6.40
Delaware & Hud.	1922	4½	7.50	6.87
Erie Railroad	1920-'27	4½@5	8.25	7.25
Grace Steamship	1920-'34	6	7.87	7.25
Illinois Central	1920-'27	4½@5	7.10	6.40
Illinois Central	1925-'35	7	6.85	6.40
Int. Prod. S'ship	1920-'26	7	8.50	7.50
Louis. & Nash	1920-'23	5	7.10	6.40
Michigan Central	1920-'32	5 @6	7.00	6.40
Minn. & St. L.	1920-'27	5 @6	7.75	7.00
Mo., Kan. & T.	1920-'24	5	8.25	7.25
New York Cen.	1920-'32	4½@5	7.25	6.40
New York Cen.	1921-'35	7	7.12	6.40
Norf. & West.	1920-'24	4½	7.00	6.40
Northern Pacific	1921-'30	7	7.15	6.40
N. Y., N. H. & H.	1920-'29	4½@5-6	8.25	7.25
Pac. Fruit Exp.	1925-'35	7	6.90	6.40
Pa. Gen. Freight	1920-'23	4 @4½	7.00	6.40
Pitts. & L. Erie	1921-'35	6½	6.87	6.40
Reading Co.	1920-'27	4½	7.10	6.40
Seaboard Air L.	1920-'27	4½@5-6	8.25	7.25
Sinclair Refining	1920-'21	6	8.50	7.50
Southern Pacific	1920-'25	4½	7.10	6.40
Southern Pacific	1924-'35	7	6.87	6.40
Southern Ry.	1920-'26	4½@5	7.62	6.62
Union Pacific	1924-'35	7	6.85	6.40
Virginian Ry.	1920-'30	6	7.50	6.75
White Oil Corp.	1920-'23	6	8.50	7.50

EARNINGS.

Railroads.

DELAWARE & HUDSON for November—

	1920.	1919.	1918.
Gross	$4,151,759	$2,813,113	$2,933,494
Bal. aft. taxes	482,435	*21,042	176,012
Net op. income	487,308	*7,594	156,212
11 mos. gross	39,886,417	31,810,980	32,188,160
Bal. aft. taxes	1,602,583	2,214,539	2,764,409
Net op. income	1,386,168	2,055,791	2,682,399

*Deficit.

DELAWARE, LACKAWANNA & WESTERN for November—

	1920.	1919.	1918.
Gross	8,606,028	6,140,294	6,264,230
Bal. aft. taxes	1,113,445	1,029,573	1,494,223
Net op. income	1,021,951	1,089,486	1,470,583
11 mos. gross	73,446,493	65,516,901	62,730,353
Bal. aft. taxes	2,418,313	11,079,889	15,035,950
Net op. income	2,441,776	10,698,981	15,217,254

NORFOLK SOUTHERN for November—

	1920.	1919.	Increase.
Gross	635,077	523,511	111,566
Bal. aft. taxes	77,739	*43,765	121,504
Net op. income	86,194	*55,404	141,598
11 mos. gross	7,179,434	5,877,076	1,302,358
Def. aft. taxes	422,075	†36,847	458,922
Net op. deficit	502,118	†17,004	519,122

*Deficit. †Income.

NORFOLK & WESTERN for November—

	1920.	1919.	1918.
Gross	9,088,043	6,872,061	7,910,911
Bal. af. taxes	1,073,290	504,129	1,942,988
Net op. inc.	1,414,790	719,052	1,952,554
11 mos. gross	78,107,975	70,354,702	75,175,346
Def. af. taxes	2,392,918	*9,521,093	*16,222,411
Net op. inc.	1,522,187	9,996,284	16,967,113

RUTLAND— for November—

Nov. gross	547,198	448,926	341,702
Def. after tax.	39,374	*52,009	66,905
Net oper. def.	3,255	*62,543	61,782
11 mos. gross	5,432,020	4,423,785	4,199,930
Def. after tax.	325,062	*137,746	*19,375
Net oper. def.	125,813	*211,129	*118,760

*Income.

SEABOARD AIR LINE for November—

Gross	4,277,094	3,539,893	3,362,067
Bal. aft. taxes	702,936	16,916	30,753
Net op. income	627,783	*142,015	21,074
11 mos. gross	44,705,786	37,495,978	35,313,921
Def. aft. taxes	1,775,996	†2,172,075	†4,156,603
Net op. deficit	3,353,937	†2,032,721	†3,663,149

*Deficit. †Income.

Public Utilities.

SUBSIDIARY UNITED GAS & ELECTRIC COMPANIES for November—

	1920.	1919.	Increase.
Gross	1,141,305	979,730	161,575
Net aft. taxes	347,909	376,297	*28,388
Total income	349,347	378,229	*28,882
Sur. af. fixed chgs.	188,175	223,580	*35,405
12 mos. gross	12,267,563	10,261,072	2,006,491
Net aft. taxes	3,896,873	3,568,613	328,260
Total income	3,944,393	3,600,890	343,503
Sur. af. fixed chgs.	2,041,996	1,767,527	274,469

TWIN CITY RAPID TRANSIT CO. for November—

Gross	1,182,517	1,005,154	177,363
Net earnings	250,629	276,270	*25,641
†Sur. aft. fixed chgs.	67,438	60,208	7,230
11 mos. gross	11,732,212	10,236,620	1,495,592
Net earnings	3,016,890	2,883,775	133,115
†Sur. aft. fixed chgs.	952,591	919,610	32,981

*Decrease. †Includes taxes.

TWO OIL DIRECTORS RESIGN.

O. T. Waring and F. W. Weller Quit Standard of New Jersey.

O. T. Waring and Colonel F. W. Weller, long Directors of the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey, resigned yesterday and three new members were elected, increasing the board by one. The new Directors are Charles G. Black, Chairman of the Manufacturing Committee; Edgar M. Clark, manager of the Bayway Refinery, and E. J. Sadler, President of the Transcontinental Petroleum Company.

Mr. Waring is thought to enjoy the longest record of active service in the oil industry of any living man. He has been identified with the business continuously since 1862; has been a Director of the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey since Jan. 10, 1911, and retires now at the age of 81.

Mr. Clark formerly was connected with the Standard Oil Company of Indiana. He is an expert on the operation of pressure stills and was associated for twenty-seven years with Dr. W. M. Burton, inventor of the process bearing his name. Mr. Sadler is a graduate of Annapolis, Class of 1899. He spent eight years in Rumania as Managing Director of the Romano-Americana. George H. Jones, Treasurer and Director, was elected a Vice President to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Colonel Weller.

REPORT ON RIO GRANDE CASE

Stockholders Asked to Pay 20 Cents a Share in Legal Contest.

Jefferson M. Levy, Chairman of the Denver & Rio Grande Stockholders' Protective Committee, has sent a letter to stockholders outlining the activities of the committee in its effort to block confirmation of the sale of the Denver properties to the Western Pacific last month. The letter states that the matter is being considered by the United States Circuit Court of St. Louis, before which it was argued.

The committee filed a protest in Denver against the sale of the railroad on account of inadequate price, according to Mr. Levy's letter, and objected to confirmation on the ground that the sale was made free of the right of redemption. "We consider this," writes Mr. Levy, "an inalienable right, and the matter has never been decided by the United States Supreme Court. We have also filed a stockholders' suit in Denver to enjoin the sale."

The letter closed with the request that stockholders contribute twenty cents a share to defray expenses of the case.

FINANCIAL NOTES.

Middle States Oil and subsidiaries, in a consolidated income account for the third quarter of 1920, made public yesterday, shows a substantial increase in gross earnings, the total from all sources being $2,524,157, compared with $4,560,448 in the six months ended June 30, with net earnings of $2,140,078 for the shorter period and $3,695,380 for the longer time under comparison.

At a meeting of the Directors of H. Jacob & Sons, Inc., Brooklyn, held on Dec. 23, a stock dividend of 33 1-3 per cent. was declared from surplus, thereby increasing the capital stock from $750,000 to $1,000,000.

The Fulton Trust Company has issued its quarterly circular on "Investments" containing suggestions for investments.

The Barnsdall Corporation reports net earnings for the eleven months ended Nov. 30, after depreciation, depletion, taxes and well drilling expenses, of $3,024,441, as against $1,289,719 for the same period in 1919.

SUBSCRIPTION RIGHTS.

	Rights Expire.	Yesterday's Bid.	Ask.	Friday's Bid.
Corn Exch. Bank	Feb. 3	42	44	42
Detroit Edison	Jan. 10	..	¼	..
General Electric	Jan. 20	3⅝	3⅝	3¾
Home Insurance	Feb. 1	165	170	165
Lone Star Gas	Jan. 20	..	½	..
Mexican Eagle Oil		6	9	7
Nat. Park Bank	Feb. 3	70	75	70
Pacific Development	Jan. 10	..	¼	..
Shaw (W. W.)		15	17	16
So. N. E. Tel	Jan. 12	..	½	..
Southern Pacific	Mar. 1	22½	22¾	22½
Swan & Finch	Mar. 1	..	½	..
Tidewater Oil	Jan. 19	13½	13¾	13½
Un. Zinc Smelt. Co.	Jan. 6	..	½	..

METAL MARKET REPORT.

These prices were quoted on the local Metal Exchange yesterday:

	Yesterday. Bid.	Asked.	Thursday. Bid.	Asked.
Antimony	$5.25	$5.50	$5.25	$5.50
Quicksilver	50.00	...	50.00	...
Aluminium	23.00	...	*23.00	*25.00
Iron, No. 2X Silic.	32.75	...	32.75	...

*Nominal.

Electrolytic copper was quoted in the open market at 13¼, 30 days.

Holiday in London.

SHORT TERM NOTES.

Security.	Rate.	Due.	Bid.	Ask.	Yld.
Am. Chicle	6	Oct. 21,'22	80	90½	..
Am. Chicle	6	Oct. 23,'25	90	95	7.75
Am. Chicle	6	Oct. 26,'27	87½	91¾	7.55
Am. Cot. Oil	6	Sep. 2,'24	82	86	10.40
Am. T. & T.		Oct., 1922	93½	94	9.50
Am. T. & T.	6	Feb., 1924	91	91¾	9.20
Am. Th'd Co.	6	Dec., 1928	92¼	94½	6.90
Am. Tobacco	7	Nov., 1921	99⅝	100	7.00
Am. Tobacco	7	Nov., 1922	99¼	100	7.00
Am. Tobacco	7	Nov., 1923	99¼	100	7.00
Anacon. Co.	6	Jan., 1929	80½	81½	9.20
Anacon. Co.	7	Jan., 1929	87¾	88¼	9.00
A.-A. O., Ltd.	7½	Apr., 1925	98⅝	99¼	7.70
Arm. & Co. c.	7	July15,'30	93½	94½	7.80
Beth. St. Cor.	7	July15,'23	93½	94¼	9.00
Beth. St. Cor.	7	July 15,'22	96½	97¼	9.00
Can. Pac. Ry.	6	Mar. 2,'24	91¾	92½	8.50
Col. Graph. Co.	8%	Aug., 1925	83	89	11.00
Cudahy Pack.	7	July 15,'23	93	95¼	9.05
Fed. Sug. R.		Nov., 1924	89	93	8.00
Cent. Arg. R.	6	Feb., 1927	72	76	11.70
C., R. I. & P.	6	Feb., 1922	93½	95½	10.80
C., C., C., & St. L. Ry. Co.	6	July, 1929	89½	90½	7.50
The B.F.Goodrich Co. cv.	7	Apr., 1925	80	81	12.70
Gulf Oil Corp.	6	July, 1921	97	98	7.30
Gulf Oil Corp.	6	July, 1922	94¾	96¼	8.70
Gulf Oil Corp.	6	July, 1923	94½	96	7.75
Hocking Val.	6	Mar., 1924	89½	91½	8.90
Int. Rap. Tr.	7	Sep., 1921	66½	68	..
Kan. C. Ter.	6	Nov., 1923	90	93	8.70
Kennecott C.	7	Feb., 1930	87	88¼	8.90
Laclede Gas.		Jan., 1920	82½	85½	9.60
Lig. & Myers.	6	Dec., 1921	96¾	97½	8.90
Nat.C.&S.10-yr	8	1930	90	96	8.60
Penn. Co.	4½	June15,'21	98⅝	98⅝	7.50
Phila. Co.	6	Feb., 1922	92	93	13.75
Proc. & G.	7	Mar., 1921	99¾	100¼	6.80
Proc. & G.	7	Mar., 1922	99¼	100	7.00
Proc. & G.	7	Mar., 1923	99¼	100	7.00
Pub. S. Corp. of N. J. cv.	7	Mar., 1922	85	87	..
R.J. Rylds. T.	8	Aug., 1922	96	96¾	8.40
Sears, R.& C.	7	Oct. 15,'22	93½	94¼	10.25
Sears, R.& C.	7	Oct. 15,'22	93	93½	9.50
Sears, R.& C.	7	Oct. 15,'23	93	94	9.30
Sinc. C. O. C.	7	May 15,'25	86¾	87¼	11.50
Solvay & Co.	8	Oct., 1927	98⅝	99¼	8.40
Southern Ry.	6	Mar., 1922	92	92½	11.60
S'west B. T.	7	Apr., 1925	90	92	9.20
St.P.Un.Dep., guaran.	5½	Dec. 15,'23	93½	95	8.25
Stand. Oil Co. (Cal.)		Jan., 1931	99¾	99⅞	7.00
Swift & Co.	6	Aug.15,'21	97¼	97¾	8.90
Swift & Co.	7	Oct. 15,'25	93½	94¼	8.40
Utah Sec.Cor.	6	Sep. 15,'22	78	80	..
West'n Elec. Co. conv.	6	Apr., 1925	96¾	97½	7.70

MISCELLANEOUS MARKETS.

Following is the range of prices in the important miscellaneous commodities in New York:

COTTONSEED OIL.

The cottonseed oil market was irregular.

	High.	Low.	Close.	Closing Bid.
Spot	..	..	..	7.80
December	No sales			7.80
January	8.28	7.97	7.97	7.95
February	No sales			7.95
March	8.83	8.46	8.48	8.47
April	No sales			8.50
May	9.00	9.80	9.80	8.80
June	No sales			8.80
July	9.05	9.05	9.05	8.95

Total sales, 13,600.

COFFEE.

The coffee market was firmer, closing 9@13 points net lower.

	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Close.	Last Year.
January	No sales				
March	6.40	6.35	6.38	6.47	14.96
May	6.81	6.75	6.75	6.88	15.12
July	7.11	7.08	7.08	..	15.28
Sept	7.37	7.30	7.34	7.43	15.12

SUGAR.

The raw sugar market was irregular.

	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Close.
January	4.30	4.25	4.30	4.30
February	4.45	4.40	4.45	4.42
March	4.55	4.44	4.50	4.54
May	4.72	4.72	4.72	4.69
July	4.90	4.90	4.90	4.85

SEES LOWER PRICES AS BUSINESS NEED

National Bank of Commerce Finds Consumers Awaiting Fall in Retail Costs.

MORE CONFIDENCE APPARENT

Belief Growing in Ability of Trade and Industry to Meet Future Successfully.

The controlling and outstanding factor in the general business situation today is the relatively small movement of raw materials and manufactured goods, even at reduced prices, according to advices sent out yesterday by the National Bank of Commerce. This, the bank thinks, is because stocks of goods in the hands of retailers are sufficient to meet the needs of a somewhat lessened demand by the consuming public.

Consumers are restricting their buying in part, the report goes on to state, because of some curtailment in buying power, but even more because of a willingness to wait until retail prices reflect the lower levels of primary prices. Continuing, the report of the National Bank of Commerce says, in part:

"Improvement of business activity awaits adjustment of retail prices to a level satisfactory to the public. It is clear that farmers, for example, who constitute the largest single class of consumers and who have already experienced a substantial reduction in the prices of their products, will not renew their buying on anything other than a hand-to-mouth scale until the price of what they buy bears a closer relation to the price of what they have to sell. This necessary readjustment of prices to consumers is now under way, and will be expected to make more rapid progress in the future. Its progress will be hastened by the coming into the market of goods which are already being produced on lower cost levels for labor and material.

"The fundamental relationship of banking and business now becomes clearly apparent. Both are concerned in the present situation, and the interests of both demand that the readjustment be gone through with in orderly fashion, so that business activity may be resumed on a sound basis.

"Sentiment respecting forward conditions, which until lately had been almost uniformly depressed, is now noticeably improving in many directions. This better feeling does not go to the point of optimism, but there is evident a degree of confidence which was previously lacking, in the ability of commerce and industry to meet the future successfully and to conduct business with reasonable profit.

"What is now required is courage and respect for fundamental economic principles. Artificial palliatives which are being urged with a view to obviating the difficulties of the adjustment—particularly proposals involving further inflation and cheapening of credit—must be avoided. Such measures, if adopted, could only result in the impairment of the strength of the credit structure and in prolonging and increasing the difficulties of an adjustment which worldwide conditions have made inevitable."

FOREIGN STOCK MARKETS.

Irregularity at Paris, Holiday at London.

PARIS, Dec. 27.—Prices were irregular on the Bourse today. Three per cent. rentes 30 centimes higher at 57 francs 65 centimes; 5 per cent. war loan unchanged at 85 francs 20 centimes.

Exchange on London 29 centimes higher at 60 francs 24 centimes per sovereign; American dollars were quoted at 17 francs 9½ centimes, against 16 francs 95 centimes Friday.

LONDON, Dec. 27.—Today is a holiday on the Stock Exchange.

BID AND ASKED QUOTATIONS

FOREIGN ISSUES.

Closing quotations for Government and municipal bonds:

	Bid.	Asked.
City of Berne 8s	90	92¾
City of Christiania 8s	93⅝	94¼
City of Zurich 8s	94	94⅝
Argentine 5s	..	69⅞
Belgium 6s, 1921	99⅝	100
Belgium 6s, 1925	85⅝	85¾
Belgium 7½s	95	95¼
Dom. of Canada 5s, 1921	98⅞	99¼
Dom. of Canada 5½s, 1921	98¼	98¾
Dom. of Canada 5s, 1926	..	87⅞
Dom. of Canada 5½s, 1929	88	88⅞
Dom. of Canada 5s, 1931	81⅞	83
Chinese Government 5s	38	38⅞
Republic of Cuba ext. 5s, 1944	75¼	77
Republic of Cuba ext. 5s, 1949	79	..
Republic of Cuba ext. 4½s, 1949	60	61½
Dominican Republic 5s	..	72¾
City of Lyons 6s	74	76
City of Marseilles 6s	74	83⅞
City of Bordeaux 6s	74	77⅞
City of Copenhagen 5½s	71¼	73
French Government 8s	99⅞	100
City of Paris 6s	91¾	92¼
Government of Switzerland 8s	102¼	102½
Japanese 4½s	75½	75¾
Japanese 4½s, second series	75¼	75½
Japanese 4s	55	56
City of Tokio 5s	42¾	43
Un. K. of Gt. Br. & Ir. 5½s, 1921	97⅜	97⅞
Un. K. of Gt. Br. & Ir. 5½s, 1922	94¼	94⅞
Un. K. of Gt. Br. & Ir. 5½s, 1929	86½	87
Un. K. of Gt. Br. & Ir. 5½s, 1937	83	83¼
United States of Mexico 5s	38¼	38½
United States of Mexico 4s	28¼	28½
Italy 6½s	78	83

U. S. GOVERNMENT PRE-WAR LOANS.

Closing quotations for Government bonds:

	Bid.	Asked.
4s, c, 1925	..	106
Pan 3s r. 1961	..	89
Pan 3s, c, 1961	..	90
P I 4s, '34	81½	90
P I 4s, '35	81½	90

Closing quotations for stocks in which there were no transactions:

	Bid.	Asked.
Ad Rumely	14½	15¼
A, C & D pf.	85	90
A A Cables	90	100
All Realty	70	..
Am S 1st pf.	94	
Am Ag Ch pf.	76	80
Am Bk N.	41	44
Do pf.	41	43
Am Bt Sug pf.	70	80
Am B S & Fdy	40	44
Am C & F pf.	106	114
Am Lin.	44	46
Do pf.	78	88
Am Rad.	65¼	66½
Do pf.	96	..
Am Shipb.	..	80
Do pf.	..	80
Am Sm pf. A	60	67
Am Snuff	90¼	95
Do pf.	75	85
Am Stl Fds pf.	80¼	82½
Am S Tob pf.	80	81
Am W pf.	90¼	94
Ann Arbor	12	13
Do pf.	20½	30
Asso D G 1st pf.	52	55
Do 2d pf.	37½	38½
Assoc Oil	85	88
Atl Ref pf.	104½	106
A, G & W I pf.	50	53
Auto S pf.	9½	20
Bald L pf.	92	93

	Bid.	Asked.
B'dall, A.	35½	36
Do, B.	34½	35¾
Bar Leath.	20	65
Batop M.	¾	1
B'ch Cr'k.	29	..
Beth S 7% pf.	90	95
Booth Fish pf.	..	26
B'klyn Ed.	81	90
B U Gas.	48	49¾
Brown Sh.	35	37½
Do pf.	75	80
B, R & P.	60	85
Do pf.	85	105
Buff & S.	72	..
Do pf.	..	55
Burns Bros	78	79
Do pf.	97	105
Bush Ter.	..	85
Cal P pf.	66½	67½
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Do 1st pf	78¼	..
Do 2d pf.	65	75
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C & E Ill ctfs.	5½	8
Do pf. c.	5½	8
Chi, St P, M & Om.	59	61
Do pf.	85	95
C, C, C & St L pf.	55½	60
Col & So.	24	26
Do 1st pf	48	53
Do 2d pf.	40	50
Con Cig pf.	70	72⅞
Cont C pf.	96¼	100

	Bid.	Asked.
Cont Ins, ex div.	61½	68
Corn P R pf.	95	99¼
Crex Carp.	..	57
Cruc S pf.	82½	83
C-Am Sug pf.	92	95
Dav Chem.	25½	30
D & Co pf.	82	92
Det Ed.	90	100
Det U Ry.	..	79
Dul S Tra.	..	17
Dur Hos'y.	27	29
Do pf.	80	82
Elec S B.	68	98
Em Brant.	6	8
Do pf.	40	60
Erie 2d pf.	13	13½
E Kodak	490	500
Do pf.	100	103
Erie & P.	45	55
Fairbanks.	..	48
F M & S.	6	7
G A T c.	48	52
Gen Ch pf ctfs	84	90
Gen Cig d pf.	70	82
Gen Asp pf	77¼	82
Habir Elec	10	15
Hartman	68½	70½
Hendee M.	14½	15
Hyd Steel.	19	20¼
Ill Cent l l	56¼	..
Int Mot Tr 2d pf.	52	58
Int N pf.	70	75
Int Pa pf.	85	105
Do pf, s.	69⅞	70
K C, Ft S & M pf.	56	60
Kayser (J)	70	75
Do pf.	98	120
Kelly Sp T pf.	70	73
Do 8% pf	75	83
K & D M.	4	10
Do pf.	20	..
Kress(S H)	..	90
Lacl Gas.	35	39
L E & W pf.	22	36
L & M. B.	120	135
L-W Bisc.	20	30
Do 1st pf	93¼	99
Do 2d pf.	99	105
Lorill'd Co pf.	97¾	98
Mah Coal.	350	700
M'kay Cos.	55½	57
Mal'son pf.	45	49¾
Man B'ch.	½	2¼
Man El S.	..	55¼
Man S pf.	..	93
Marlin R.	10¼	15
Math Alk.	13½	15
M Dep Sts.	66	69
Mich Cent.	90	..
M, St P & S S M pf.	90	100
Do l l.	54	56
Mon P pf.	93	94
Mor & Es.	60	..
Mullins B pf.	73½	..
N. C & St L.	97	107½
Nat Acme	27	28
Nat B pf.	105¼	108
Nat C & S.	26	27½
Nat En pf.	86	92
Nat Ld pf.	100⅛	102
Nat Rys of M 1st pf.	7	14
Do 2d pf.	4½	5
N Y, C & St L 1st pf.	56	60
Do 2d pf.	57	65
N Y Dock.	18	20
N Y, L & West	81	88
Ohio F S.	43	50
Ont Min.	4¼	4¾

	Bid.	Asked.
Otis El pf.	..	87
Otis Stl pf.	70	101
Owens B pf	..	100
Pac Coast.	18	30
Do 1st pf	60	100
Do 2d pf.	45	60
Pac Oil.	36⅝	38⅛
Pac Mail	12¾	15
P T & Tel.	38	40
Par & B.	12¼	12⅞
Penney pf.	..	86
Peo & E.	9	12¼
Pere M pr pf.	53	55
Do pf.	35	40
Pett-Mull.	34¼	62
Do 1st pf	..	96
Phila Co.	32	32½
P Jones	30	60
Do pf.	65	74
P, Y & A pf.	75	121
Pitts Coal.	54¾	57
Do pf.	84	85
P, Ft W & C pf.	113	120
Pitts S pf.	..	85
P S, N J.	..	54
R R Sec, I C stk c.	48	59
Ry. Stl Spr pf.	101	102½
R T 1st pf.	..	83
Do 2d pf.	..	83
Rens & S.	98	..
Rep I & S pf.	84	86
Rep Truck.	17½	19½
R Rels.	6	10
Do 1st pf	..	60
St Jos Ld.	11	12
St L S F pf.	28	32
St L S W pf.	33½	35
Sears-R pf.	98½	99
S-S S & I pf.	..	87¾
So P R S.	79	90
Do pf.	80	100
Stern B pf	..	90
Stand Mill.	98	110
Do pf.	70	80
Studeb Co pf.	82	95
Sup Stl 1st pf.	95	98½
Temtor, A.	23¼	24¾
T P L Tr.	200	300
Tide W O.	160	178
Tob P pf.	80¼	84
T, St L & W ctfs.	8	10
Do pf s.	14	18
T C R T pf.	..	86
Und Type.	124	150
Do pf.	100	120
Un Cig S.	128	150
Do pf.	98¼	105
Un Drug.	92½	[illegible]
Do 1st pf	42	44¾
U S C I P pf.	39	41½
U S Exp.	5¾	7
U S Ind A pf.	90	93
U S R & I.	36	39
Utah Sec.	8½	9
Va-Car Ch pf.	92	93¾
Va Ry & P	..	45
W Md 2d pf.	16¾	17¼
West U T.	82	83¾
W'wire Stl	15	21
Wilson pf, ex div.	79	85
Wis Cent.	33	35
Woolworth	106	108
Do pf.	102	107
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Do pf, B.	56	56½

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The undersigned Committee, acting under and pursuant to the Plan and Agreement, dated September 9, 1920, for the consolidation of the above-mentioned Companies, having on December 2, 1920, declared said Plan operative, and having on December 9, 1920, announced that the New Preferred and Common Stock would be distributed to holders of Deposit Certificates of record at the close of business on December 30, 1920, has duly determined as follows:

1. The Plan will be consummated at the close of business on December 30, 1920, by the transfer to Allied Chemical & Dye Corporation (already organized under the laws of New York) of all the Deposited Stocks in full payment for the issue of all the authorized shares of said Corporation (excepting 5 incorporators' shares), viz., 373,259 preferred shares, of the par value of $100 each, and 2,143,455 common shares, without par value,—being the amounts of such shares required to effect exchanges for the Deposited Stocks as provided in the Plan.

2. On and after December 31, 1920, Depositors may obtain temporary stock certificates and scrip certificates for the New Preferred and Common Stock, as provided in the Plan (including dividend adjustments in New Common Stock as announced by the Committee on December 9, 1920), upon surrender of their respective Deposit Certificates, properly endorsed in blank for transfer, to Guaranty Trust Company of New York, Depositary, at its office No. 140 Broadway, New York City, viz.:

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The Barrett Co.,	"	$116.66	" " "
National Aniline Co.,	"	$100	" " "
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The Solvay Process Co.,	"	3.22415	" "
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Suggests Flat Levy on Corporation Profits and Specific Sales Tax on Non-Essentials.

BONUS COST $2,300,000,000

Urges Most Drastic Economy to Run Government on Yearly Income of $4,000,000,000.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—Secretary of the Treasury Houston, completing today his narrative of the financial situation of the country, told the Senate Finance Committee that "unless every unnecessary expenditure, such as the proposed appropriation for the payment of soldiers' bonus, be avoided; unless every official or other estimate or request for appropriations be reduced to a minimum, no sound plan of tax revision can be carried out and the successful financial conduct of the Government during the next three years will be seriously imperiled." It is doubtful, in view of Secretary Houston's showing, that the Senate will favor bonuses for ex-service men.

"Sound policy," added the Secretary, "demands the exercise of the most drastic economy."

Secretary Houston told the committee that it is his view that the revenue from taxation in the fiscal years 1921-22 and 1922-23 should be maintained on a four-billion-dollar level, which will represent a reduction of about $1,400,000,000 from the 1920 level and about $700,000,000 less than the amount that taxation is expected to produce in the fiscal year that ends June 30, 1921.

"There must be," Secretary Houston pointed out, "a fair balance in the tax system as a whole between taxes on the consumption of the masses and taxes on wealth, income and business."

Dr. Adams Also Testifies.

Dr. T. S. Adams, one of the Treasury income tax experts, also testified before the committee, his narrative being largely based on recently compiled statistics which disclosed much interesting information. For instance, Dr. Adams submitted statistics compiled this morning which show that the Government's income from taxes on the sale of automobiles, motorcycles and their accessories amounted in November of this year to $1,220,000 more than they did in November of 1919, while the tax on cigarettes, which in November of last year brought in more than $14,300,000, this year realized a little less than $11,000,000.

Other surprising increases in November of this year over the corresponding month in 1919 were noted by Dr. Adams, among them the tax receipts from near beer, rugs, carpets, pictures, candy and other so-called luxuries. Dr. Adams suggested that the drop in prices may have resulted in an increase instead of a falling off in the retail trade.

In answer to a question as to the proposal to add additional surtaxes in order to meet the obligations that would follow the enactment of the Bonus bill, Dr. Adams said that he was firmly opposed to any such legislation.

"Surtaxes," added Dr. Adams, "are already too high for their successful collection. For instance, Section 3, under Title VII. of the bill, imposed an additional surtax of 3 per cent. of the amount by which the net income exceeds $26,000. This would mean a 68 per cent. tax."

Both Secretary Houston and Dr. Adams referred to the practical impossibility of the Treasury Department retaining in its employ the experts upon whom the successful administration of the department largely depends. The reason, they agreed, was the meagre salaries paid these men. Dr. Adams said he knew of one man whose resignation cost the Government, in his opinion, at least $50,000,000. This man received $5,000 a year and an increase of $1,000 would have retained his services.

At the outset of his narrative Secretary Houston read into the record estimates compiled under his direction, which indicate the additional financial burden that will fall on the people in the event the Bonus bill is enacted. Under the bill as it passed the House a veteran of the World War would have the selection of one of five plans. The first, which provides "adjusted service pay," would cost the Government, Secretary Houston said, about $1,340,000,000. The second, or "adjusted service certificate" plan, would entail a burden of approximately $4,534,000,000. The third, or "vocational training" plan, would cost about $1,880,000,000, while plan four, which provides "farm or home aid," would also cost about $1,880,000,000. Secretary Houston said he was not prepared to estimate the cost of making the last, or "land settlement aid" plan, effective.

"As these various plans are optional, we have estimated that the total direct cost which the enactment of the bonus law would entail, would be about $2,275,000,000," said Secretary Houston, "and this does not include the cost of administration, which would be about $25,000,000. In addition, there would also probably be a very considerable indirect cost."

"My thoughts," continued Secretary Houston, "have centred on the simplification of existing tax laws and possible methods of meeting additional burdens.

"I have recommended that the revenue from taxation be maintained after this fiscal year and until the close of the fiscal year 1923, on a level of at least $4,000,000,000. This represents a substantial reduction of aggregate taxes collected from the people. During the fiscal year 1920 the internal tax receipts amounted to $5,400,000,000, and it is estimated that for the fiscal year 1921 they will amount to $4,700,000,000. The proposed $4,000,000,000 levy, therefore, represents a reduction of $1,400,000,000 from the level of 1920, and a reduction of $700,000,000 from the level of 1921. What it means in brief is that a system of taxation based upon the income tax—adjusted to ability to pay—bears less heavily upon the taxpayer and yields less revenue, as it must, when the income of the country declines.

Wants Extreme Surtaxes Cut.

"I recommend the reduction of the extreme income surtaxes, not to exempt the rich but to tax the rich. At present, by investing in tax free securities and by the use of other devices the very wealthy can and do avoid taxation. The taxable income of taxpayers having net incomes over $300,000 a year fell from $992,972,985 in 1916 to $392,247,329 in 1918. This condition, I have suggested, may be met either by reducing the upper surtaxes to a lower general level, or by reducing the upper surtaxes with respect to that part of the income which is saved and reinvested in taxable property or business, leaving the present rates, if necessary, upon income which is wasted or used in ostentatious and unnecessary consumption.

"The excess profits tax should be replaced, primarily because it is losing its productivity, and promises in the near future to become a statute of exemptions rather than an effective tax. Moreover, the tax is so complicated that it imposes upon both taxpayers and administrative authorities burdens too difficult to be permanently carried. I recommend that it be replaced—not merely repealed—with a simpler and more certain tax upon corporation income or profits. I suggest in this connection for the consideration of the Congress either a flat additional tax on corporation profits, such as has recently been adopted in the United Kingdom, or a tax upon the undistributed profits of corporations under which, if adopted, corporations should be expressly authorized to pay taxes through their stockholders, as partnerships are now taxed through their members. By either of these proposals the income tax on corporations could be made a fair equivalent for the income tax as now applied in effect to individuals, partnerships and personal service corporations.

"I recommend the retention of a simple system of specific sales or consumption taxes designed to collect a moderate proportion of the aggregate tax levy from a few highly productive taxes on non-essentials. Miscellaneous sales or excise taxes shifted in the main to the consumer supplied in the last fiscal year about 20 per cent. of the total taxes, or about 25 per cent. if customs duties are counted, as consumption taxes.

"In view of the financial needs of the Government these proportions may be properly maintained or even increased to perhaps 30 or 35 per cent., but no radical increase such as doubling the consumption taxes would in my opinion be justified. There must be a fair balance in the tax system as a whole between taxes on the consumption of the masses and taxes on wealth, income and business.

"It would be especially unfortunate to substitute sales taxes of any variety for taxes upon corporation profits required both to balance the tax system and to equalize taxes on corporations with the progressive income tax as applied to unincorporated business concerns. To place such an unfair load on the masses would violate all the recognized principles of justice as to the division or distribution of the total tax burden. I do not oppose all sales taxes, but I have recommended the repeal of those sales taxes which are difficult to enforce, unduly vexatious and of inconsiderable yield. The entire tax system including the existing specific sales taxes should be simplified, not further complicated, by the adoption of a turnover or general sales tax which would require a large additional legislative force if administered properly and would result in widespread evasion if not thoroughly administered.

"The excess profits and other taxes which in my opinion should be replaced, would yield in the future less than $730,000,000 a year. In order to meet this reduction or deficit I have mentioned—merely for the convenience of the committees of Congress which will be directly responsible for tax revision—a large number of possible new or additional taxes, including higher income taxes and additional specific sales taxes upon luxuries and non-essentials, capable of yielding over $2,000,000,000 a year. Obviously, all of these taxes are not recommended. They are mentioned as possible new sources from which to make a selection."

For Improving Existing Laws.

Secretary Houston added that his suggestions looked to the improvement of existing tax laws in the light of an experience covering Government service that will soon end after eight years.

"The immediate matter before us," said Senator McCumber, acting chairman of the commmittee, "is the Bonus bill. Now, supposing it passes, how will we meet the additional charge?"

"I have not given the requisite study to the various plans suggested; I am not now prepared to answer that question," Secretary Houston said.

Dr. Adams, who followed the Secretary, said that the falling off in cigarette taxes was one of the surprises of the year. Another surprise was the increase, he said, in the total of so-called luxury taxes.

"To an extent greater than the press and people realize," said Dr. Adams, "I think that the drop in prices which we have witnessed may have stimulated the retail trade of the country."

While the income from the tax on cigarettes fell off in November of this year as compared with the same month in 1919, the income from the tax on cigars increased from $4,708,000 in November, 1919, to $4,848,000 in November of this year. The tax income from perfumes, cosmetics and medicinal preparations was a little over $500,000 both in November of last year and in November of this year.

"I personally consider," said Dr. Adams, "that one of the greatest problems confronting the Treasury Department is the impossibility of holding our experts. It is practically impossible at this time to keep them. The turnover is in excess of 100 per cent. per annum now."

Secretary Houston endorsed the stand taken by Dr. Adams on this matter, and said men who now get $5,000 a year from the Government leave it to accept positions that carry salaries as high as $100,000 a year. Decent salaries for these men, Dr. Adams said, would mean the saving of millions of dollars annually to the Government. He said that salaries of such men should be raised, and at the same time some sort of prohibition imposed which would prevent a man, after he has been trained by the Government, immediately returning to private life.

"I, of course, do not suggest," said Secretary Houston, "such enormous salaries as I have quoted, but I do think that Treasury officials whose responsibilities equal those of the heads of great banks should receive a salary sufficient to make it possible for them to live in comfort, and also lay a little aside for the future."

"Much can be done," said Senator Smoot, "by passing tax laws that the ordinary business man can understand, and that is one of the things we must do."

It is known that several of the leading Republican members of the Finance Committee agree entirely with the views of Secretary Houston.

Dec. 15 Tax Exceeds Estimate.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27 (Associated Press).—Income and profits tax receipts for the last quarter of the year exceeded Secretary Houston's early estimate of $650,000,000, according to the daily statement of the nation's finances for Dec. 23, made public today by the Treasury.

On that date income and profits tax payments for the month amounted to $650,602,546, as compared with $824,178,191 for the corresponding period a year ago. Treasury officials declared that some increase in the total could be expected, as there was still a week to be accounted for. Receipts from income and profits taxes since June total $1,608,135,297, according to the Treasury's statement, as against $1,922,194,430 for the corresponding period last year.

MARKET AVERAGES.

STOCKS.

YESTERDAY'S RANGE.

	High.	Low.	Last.	Net. Ch'ge.
25 railroads...	51.71	50.96	51.36	+.07
25 industrials.	80.20	78.50	79.19	−1.16
50 stocks.....	65.95	64.68	65.27	−.55

DAILY RANGE OF 50 STOCKS.

	High.	Low.	Last.	Net. Ch'ge.
Dec. 25.......	Holiday.			
Dec. 24.......	66.83	65.42	65.82	−.79
Dec. 23.......	66.75	64.44	66.61	+2.37
Dec. 22.......	65.06	62.70	64.24	+.44
Dec. 21.......	66.03	63.04	63.80	−1.86
Dec. 20.......	66.54	65.36	65.66	−.55
Dec. 18.......	66.97	65.97	66.21	−.85

MONTHLY RANGE OF 50 STOCKS.

Dec.	—High.—		—Low.—		Last.
*1920.	73.72	Dec. 2	62.70	Dec. 22	65.27
1919.	90.40	Dec. 26	84.10	Dec. 12	89.69
1918.	76.34	Dec. 11	71.42	Dec. 26	73.39
1917.	66.26	Dec. 31	57.43	Dec. 20	65.88
1916.	99.26	Dec. 4	83.88	Dec. 21	88.22

YEARLY RANGE OF 50 STOCKS.

	High.		Low.		Last.
*1920.	94.07	Apr. 8	62.70	Dec. 22	65.27
†1919.	99.39	Nov. 5	69.73	Jan. 21	88.49
Full Years.					
1919.	99.59	Nov. 5	69.74	Jan. 21	89.69
1918.	80.16	Nov. 12	64.12	Jan. 15	73.39
1917.	90.46	Jan. 4	57.47	Dec. 20	65.88
1916.	101.51	Nov. 20	80.91	Apr. 22	88.22

BONDS.

YESTERDAY'S CLOSE.

		—Net Change.—		
		Day.	Month.	Year.
40 issues	67.21	+.36	−2.87	−4.75

DAILY RANGE OF 40 BONDS.

Dec. 25...	Holiday.		Dec. 15...	67.07	+.32
Dec. 24...	66.85	+.22	Dec. 14...	67.75	+.12
Dec. 23...	66.63	−.09	Dec. 13...	67.68	−.51
Dec. 22...	66.72	−.38	Dec. 11...	68.14	−.20
Dec. 21...	67.10	−.16	Dec. 10...	68.34	−.14
Dec. 20...	67.26	−.23	Dec. 9...	68.48	−.41
Dec. 18...	67.49	−.29	Dec. 8...	68.89	−.29
Dec. 17...	67.78	−.16	Dec. 7...	69.18	−.32
Dec. 16...	67.94	−.13			

YEARLY RANGE OF 40 BONDS.

	—High.—		—Low.—		Last.
*1920.	72.14	Oct. 21	65.57	May 21	67.21
†1919.	79.05	June 2	71.05	Oct. 18	71.96
Full Years.					
1919.	79.05	June 2	71.05	Dec. 18	72.00
1918.	82.36	Nov. 12	75.65	Sep. 27	73.78
1917.	89.48	Jan. 20	74.24	Dec. 20	76.80

*To date. †To corresponding date last year

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For the Hundred Neediest Cases

More than $100,000 is required to meet the requirements for the 200 verified and meritorious cases of misfortune and helplessness in the City of New York included in THE TIMES "100 Neediest Cases." The fund is several thousand dollars short. Contributions of any sum are appealed for. Send check to order "100 Neediest Cases," care THE TIMES, Times Square.

DEMANDS ANOTHER SHIPPING REPORT

Edge's Resolution Calls for One Intelligible to the Average Citizen.

$4,000,000,000 IS INVOLVED

Senator Disclaims Muckraking Purpose—Wants to Know the Mere Business Facts.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—A resolution offered in the Senate today by Senator Edge of New Jersey calls upon the Shipping Board to submit to the Senate a complete report of all its activities, the report to be "concise, devoid of arguments and intelligible to the average citizen." Senator Edge said he had been unable himself to get a clear idea of the situation by reading the somewhat burky report recently issued by the Shipping Board.

"Approximately $4,000,000,000 of the people's money has been invested," said Senator Edge, "in an American merchant marine, and this money was raised largely through taxation. An accounting of this investment is now imperatively advisable so that Congress may frame definite policies and enact proper legislation for the stimulation of businesslike management of the merchant marine. The resolution is a simple business proposition and not at all an inquisitory or muckraking request. No one knows whether there has been a profit or loss, and it is time the investors be informed as to the success or failure of this enterprise, so that it may be placed on a sound business basis.

"At the current rate of interest this investment means an annual charge of almost $250,000,000 a year, of approximately $640,000 a day. This is only the interest, and if we are losing money on the operation of the merchant marine, as is frequently charged, such deficit must necessarily be charged to this daily interest charge. The entire United States navy, of which we are all so proud, ships, yards and everything, is valued at $2,900,000,000, as compared with the $4,000,000,000 investment of the Shipping Board. I hope that this information will be quickly forthcoming."

The resolution calls for information as to the total amount appropriated or otherwise provided for the Shipping Board from Sept. 7, 1916, to Nov. 30, 1920, inclusive; the gross profits or losses for the same period, as well as the net profits or losses, and the disposition of the net profits, if there have been any. The board is also asked to state the amount of capital on which it is now doing business, the number of vessels owned outright by the Board and the number owned in part, the number and description of ships operated under the sole direction of the board and those operated in conjunction with private interests, as well as the number of chartered ships operated by the board.

Other information sought is as to the length of time ships now idle have not been in operation, the reason why they are idle, where they are docked or tied up, the loss due to depreciation of such vessels and the list of contracts which are ready to be concluded, as well as a list of those under consideration. The resolution also asks for a report as to the number of persons employed by the board, ashore as well as afloat.

FINANCING ILLINOIS CENTRAL

Road Wants $6,953,000 Bond Issue, Lacking Revenue Return.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—Asserting that a bond issue was necessary because it had not received the full 6 per cent. return provided for in the Transportation act, the Illinois Central Railroad Company filed today with the Interstate Commerce Commission applications for permission to issue mortgage bonds amounting to $6,953,000.

The road would issue $3,245,000 worth of refunding mortgage bonds bearing interest at 4 per cent. to be sold or pledged as loans with banks to meet maturing obligations. With the Chicago, St. Louis & New Orleans Railroad Company it would issue joint first refunding mortgage bonds amounting to $3,708,000 to be pledged as security to meet notes coming due within the next few months.

PACKING MERGER RUMORED.

Wall Street Hears Indian and Acme Corporations Will Unite.

The Indian Packing Corporation will be merged with the Acme Packing Corporation, according to a report in the financial district. Indian Packing stockholders it is understood will receive 425,000 shares of Acme Packing stock in return for their interests. Upon payment of $15 in cash Indian stockholders will receive Acme stock on a share for share basis, but if the cash payment is not made 10 shares of Indian can be transferred for seven shares of Acme. Indian stockholders will also receive the right to subscribe to 127,500 shares of Acme stock at $5 a share.

Found New Bond Firm.

Gardiner S. Dresser and Franklin Escher have resigned from John Muir & Co. and will establish the new firm of Dresser & Escher on Jan. 1, with offices at 115 Broadway, which will have associated with it members of the investment department of John Muir & Co. and will specialize in the distribution of high-grade bonds. On Jan. 1 Herbert A. Shipman, who has been connected with John Muir & Co. for several years, will become a partner.

COTTON EXPORTS DOWN HALF

Less Foodstuffs, Too, for Abroad This Year Than Last.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—Exports of food products from the United States during November amounted to $138,989,081, as compared with $133,457,166 in November, 1919. For the eleven months of 1920, the total was $1,473,960,176; for the same period last year they amounted to $1,961,937,724.

Breadstuffs exported during November were valued at $99,777,081, as compared with $71,711,968 in the corresponding month a year ago. During the eleven months' period this year, breadstuffs exported totaled $982,852,257.

Exports of meat products last month amounted to $30,211,997, while in November, 1919, they were valued at $61,745,198.

Cottonseed oil sent abroad last November was valued at $3,028,425, nearly $1,000,000 more than in November a year ago, while for the eleven months' period this year the total value was $20,771,389. Mineral oils exported last month were valued at $47,332,738, or about $1,500,000 more than in November, 1919. The total value during the eleven months' period this year was $486,927,688.

Cotton valued at only $91,138,372 was exported last month, as compared with $181,309,272 in November, 1919. The total exported during the eleven months' period this year amounted to $1,044,083,523.

ASKS CANADA RETURN ROADS

Sir Vincent Meredith Says Private Direction Will Solve Problems.

Sir Vincent Meredith President of the Bank of Montreal, is a vigorous opponent of Government ownership of railroads, and in an addresse recently delivered to the stockholders of his bank, urged the Dominion Government to turn over the Canadian National Railway system to coporate ownership and management.

"Canada today has a very large national railway system which is being operated at a heavy loss," Sir Vincent said, "thereby increasing the load of an already heavily tax-burdened country. Sooner or later some means must be found to relieve the situation. Some confidently believe that by proper public administration of the lines deficits can be cut down. My own view is that the proper solution will be found if the Government, at the earliest feasible time, divests itself of ownership and operation of the roads and places them under corporate control upon terms fair to the country and upon conditions that will ensure the service for which the construction of the lines was undertaken."

RELIEF AIDS ANNOUNCED.

Auxiliary Committee Named by European Council.

An auxiliary committee of twenty-five women to aid the general citizen's committee of the European Relief Council in its campaign to raise $3,500,000 in this city for the $33,000,000 European relief fund was announced yesterday. The member are:

Mrs. Courtland D. Barnes, Mrs. James Byrne, Mrs. Walter Brewster, Miss Marjorie Benson, Mrs. John Blair, Mrs. James R. Burden, Mrs. August Belmont Miss Mabel Choate, Mrs. Seymour Cromwell, Mrs. William K. Draper, Miss Mary Dreier, Miss Virginia Gildersleeve, Mrs. John Sherman Hoyt, Miss Mary Garrett Hay, Mrs. C. Oliver Iselin, Mrs. Otto Kahn, Mrs. Thomas Lamont, Mrs. Arthur L. Livermore, Miss Florence Marshall, Mrs. William Fellowes Morgan, Miss Ruth Morgan, Mrs. Morgan T. O'Brien, Mrs. John T. Pratt, Mrs. Herbert L. Pratt, Mrs. F. Louis Slade, Mrs. Mortimer Schiff, Mrs. Willard D. Straight, Mrs. William G. Wilcox, Mrs. Thomas B. Wells, Miss Florence Wardwell, Mrs. Felix Warburg, Mrs. Percy H. Williams and Miss Edith B. Walker.

Virtually all the members of the new committee are to an extent conversant with the needs of children in the parts of Europe most afflicted in the war's aftermath by virtue of their activities in welfare work among American soldiers during the war. Herbert Hoover is chairman of the amalgamation of eight leading American welfare agencies through which the relief is to be distributed this winter, and Franklin K. Lane, 42 Broadway, is treasurer.

$2,000 FINE IN BANK FRAUD.

Gustave Klingenstein Guilty of Aiding His Son in Embezzlement.

Special to The New York Times.

TRENTON, N. J., Dec. 27.—Gustave Klingenstein, father of Adolph Klingenstein, the young bank teller serving a sentence in the Federal Prison at Atlanta for defrauding the First National Bank of Union Town of approximately $350,000, was fined $2,000 by Judge Rellstab today in the United States District Court here for implication in the embezzlement. He was found guilty on one of twenty-four counts.

Interborough's Coupon.

In banking circles there is little apprehension over the payment by Interborough of its Jan. 1 bond coupon. The company, it is believed, has abundant funds with which to meet this charge, provided it can secure extension on the outstanding notes, and bankers feel that the extension will be granted. The 5 per cent. bonds were rather heavy at one time yesterday, dipping down to 47¼, but rallied about a point later. The Inter-Met. 4½s, on the other hand, sold off to 14.

To Run Mills, but Cut Wages.

NEW LONDON, Conn., Dec. 27.—The Brainerd & Armstrong Company, manufacturers of silk goods, announced today that beginning Jan. 3, the mills would be operated full time, forty-eight hours a week, although under a 15 per cent. wage reduction. The company's statement says that while it will lose financially its employes will be relieved of distress due to unemployment.

FEARS PATERNALISM IN RAIL SUPERVISION

Prof. Dixon of Princeton Tells Economists Now Is Time to Stop and Ponder.

MUST ARBITRATE DISPUTES

Calls Federal Increase of State Rates Here Striking Advance in Authority.

Special to The New York Times.

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Dec. 27.—Fears that the nation had been carried dangerously near to paternalism through Congressional action to regulate the railroads were expressed by Professor Frank H. Dixon, head of the Economic Department of Princeton University, who addressed the American Economic Association today. Professor C. O. Ruggles of the University of Iowa, who took issue with Professor Dixon, suggested that it might be a good thing to apply the principle of eminent domain to the railroads to convince them that they are to be the servants of the people.

Professor Dixon asserted that the courts undoubtedly would be called upon to decide the question of whether Congress has the right to say what the railroads shall do with any revenues they may collect beyond a reasonable return upon their investments.

He said that a long step had been taken toward the elimination of State lines and the unsatisfactory results of divided authority and characterized the recent order of the Interstate Commerce Commission, making the new railroad tariffs effective in New York State despite contrary rulings by the State Public Service Commission, as a striking advance in Federal authority.

"That the capital needs of the carriers is acute is obvious," he continued. "Returns for October probably will show net revenues 20 per cent. less than the 6 per cent. required to meet the provisions of the law. It is idle to discuss actual decreases of wages for many months. It is evident that denunciation of one big union is a part of the movement for the open shop and so that need not be taken seriously.

"It is time for the public to serve notice upon both capital and labor that labor troubles must be settled by peaceful means and without interference with transportation," he asserted. "With the rights of labor assured and a fair-minded arbitration body established there should be no fear of trouble.

"One thing is very evident, and that is that the public now regards the railroad as a public servant. Capital has little to gain henceforth through competition as between carriers. There is much evidence also that railway executives recognize that selfish interests must be subordinated to the public good and that also is an encouraging sign.

"We have, however, reached a point in the line of inquisitorial supervision when we may well stop and take account of stock. If we insist upon carrying regulation to a point where capital rebels then there will be a decline in the character of service."

CANADIAN BANK GAINS

Carries $356,244 More Forward Than Last Year—Cuts Debt.

The Canadian Bank of Commerce, after having paid the regular dividend of 12 per cent. for the year just ended and an extra of 1 per cent., was able to carry forward $1,783,979, or $356,244 more than in the preceding year. In addition, the bank has written off $500,000 on bank premises, an amount double that of last year, and there has been set aside $150,000 for the pension fund.

In the general business of the bank, as shown in the annual statement, the department devoted to handling current loans within the Dominion has shown a very considerable expansion, amounting to nearly $18,000,000. These loans, in the latest report, total $231,114,772. The increase for the year in note circulation is about $700,000. Interest bearing deposits increased during the year from $241,916,674 to $285,065,493.

Pacific Oil Company Elects.

Word has been received from San Francisco that the Pacific Oil Company, formed to take over the California oil lands of the Southern Pacific Company, has elected these officers: A. D'Heur and A. C. McLaughlin, Vice Presidents; P. G. Williams, Auditor; J. P. Edwards, Assistant Secretary; W. A. Sloan, Local Treasurer. The San Francisco offices will be located in the Sharon Building. The home office will be in Wilmington, Del.

Crude Oil Price Cut in Pittsburgh.

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 27.—The first cut in the price of crude oil for more than three years was announced here today when the principal purchasing agencies posted a price of $4 a barrel for the grade known as Corning, a reduction of 25 cents a barrel. Corning is an Ohio oil. All other grades were posted unchanged.

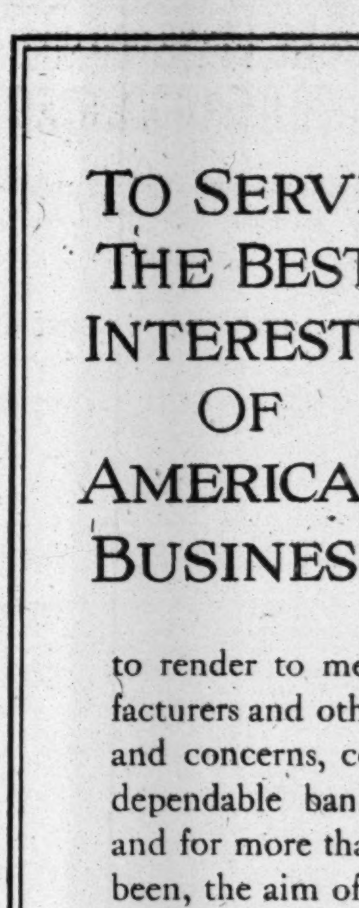
Boston Bank Statements Compared.

Special to The New York Times.

BOSTON, Dec. 27.—The Boston bank statement this week compares as follows with last week's statement:

	Dec. 24.	Week's Changes. Dec.
Circulation	$2,452,000	$7,000
Loans, disc. and invest..	594,041,000	3,873,000
Individual deposits	415,669,000	19,227,000
Due to banks............	93,816,000	6,904,000
Time deposits	21,132,000	843,000
U. S. deposits..........	19,259,000	*4,982,000
Exchange clearances ...	20,395,000	1,503,000
Due from banks........	59,897,000	1,802,000
Cash in bks. & F. R. Bk..	50,295,000	2,827,000
Cash exc. & with F.R.Bk	6,742,000	519,000

*Increase.



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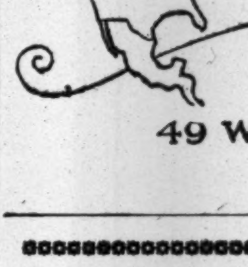

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WILL NOT "RUN IN" SHORTS

Issue Caused a Sensation Recently by Dropping From 69⅞ to 35.

One more of the much-discussed "sore spots" in the stock market situation was eliminated yesterday when J. Leonard Replogle and a group of his associates took up between 55,000 and 60,000 shares of Replogle Steel stock from twelve brokerage houses. At the current price for Replogle Steel, this would represent a money value of approximately $2,000,000. At the same time, it was learned, a number of holders of Replogle Steel, resident at Johnstown, Pa., Mr. Replogle's former home, who had purchased their stock some time ago and were carrying it with brokers in this city, also took up their stock.

It was stated most emphatically by representatives of those who have been identified with Replogle Steel since the company's formation that the so-called "insiders" have not disposed of their original stock. On the contrary, it was said, they have added to their holdings and are at present in possession of greater amounts than ever before.

The transaction yesterday which took the big block of stock out of what Wall Street calls "weak hands" was said virtually to have eliminated the floating supply of weakly held shares. However, there is no intimation of corner and those who were instrumental in bringing yesterday's operation to successful consummation are authority for the statement that there is no intention of "running in the shorts." There is a fairly considerable short account, but it was declared that abundant opportunity will be given the shorts to cover.

Replogle Steel was one of the sensations of last week. From an opening price of 69 it mounted to 69⅞, but in the late days of the week it broke sharply, selling at 30 on Friday and closing on that day at 35. In July it sold as high as 93½. The company was formed in 1919, the original subscription price for its stock being $50 a share. The range during 1919 was from 53¾ to 46.

During the current year the stock has fluctuated widely. At the beginning of the year it was selling in the neighborhood of 48, but in the latter part of February it had declined to 34½, which was the low record until last week's sharp break. Then, beginning in March, there was a strong upward movement, which finally carried the issue to the high record of 93½ on July 7. It had declined about 25 points from that figure when last week's break developed and carried it down nearly 40 points more.

Replogle Steel Company was formed in October, 1919, under the laws of Delaware, as a holding company to take over the Wharton Steel Company at Wharton, N. J., and the Wharton & Northern Railroad, which leads from the company's mines to its plant.

RATIOS AT FEDERAL BANKS.

Changes of the Past Week in the Twelve Districts.

The complete statement of the Federal Reserve system as of the end of last week shows decrease in the ratio of reserves to deposit and note liabilities at Boston, Philadelphia, Richmond, Chicago, Kansas City, Dallas and San Francisco; the decline from the preceding week being particularly large at Chicago, Richmond and San Francisco. At New York, Cleveland, St. Louis and Minneapolis the ratio of reserves increased over the preceding week; the percentage at Atlanta was unchanged. Four Federal Reserve banks, those at Boston, at Cleveland, at Richmond and at Minneapolis, showed at the close of last week a higher reserve ratio than on the corresponding date a year ago and the percentage at New York was practically the same. The various percentages compare as follow:

	Dec. 24, 1920.	Dec. 17, 1920.	Dec. 26, 1919.
Boston	54.4	55.6	48.9
New York	39.9	39.1	40.0
Philadelphia	53.8	54.6	40.8
Cleveland	61.2	57.9	46.8
Richmond	43.1	46.7	40.9
Atlanta	41.1	41.1	52.7
Chicago	39.8	42.7	50.6
St. Louis	43.0	42.6	46.5
Minneapolis	41.6	40.4	39.3
Kansas City	39.8	41.5	43.0
Dallas	40.4	41.6	49.3
San Francisco	47.9	51.1	54.9
Total	43.1	43.6	44.8

NEW WALL STREET BONUSES

United States Mortgage and Lionello Perera Employes Benefit.

Further seasonal bonuses and salary increases were announced in the financial district yesterday. The directors of the United States Mortgage & Trust Company voted additional compensation of 20 per cent. of annual salaries to officers and employes, in addition to declaring a quarterly dividend of 6 per cent. on the capital stock.

It also was announced that Lionello Perera & Co., bankers, distributed Christmas bonuses of from 25 to 50 per cent. of annual salaries.

MINING STOCK QUOTATIONS.

SAN FRANCISCO.

COMSTOCK.	
Alpha	.60
Best & Belcher	.15
Challenge	1.20
Confidence	1.80
Con. Virginia	2.30
Gould & Curry	.05
Hale & Norcross	.5
Imperial	.70
Mexican	.19
Ophir	.50
Overman	.30
Seg. Belcher	.10
Scorpion	.03
Sierra Nevada	.10
Union	.30
Utah	.03
TONOPAH.	
Belmont	1.25
Cash Boy	.04
Jim Butler	.15
McNam. Crescent	.04
Midway	.12
Monarch	.03
North Star	.06
Rescue	.10
Tonopah Exten	1.30
Tonopah '76	.05
West End	.96
West Tonopah	.04
DIVIDE.	
Alto	.03
Belcher	.03
Belcher Exten	.03
Brougher	.10
Divide Tonopah	1.10
Dividend	.02
East Divide	.02
Extension	.26
Florence	.03
Gold Reef	.04
Grimes	.04
Harmill	.10
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Myra	.02
Revert	.03
Verdi	.03
Victory	.04
West	.05
Zone	.21
GOLDFIELD.	
Booth	.02
Consolidated	.06
Crackerjack	.04
Florence	.12
Jumbo Exten	.04
Lone Star	.04
Silver Pick	.05
Spearhead	.03
OTHER DISTRICTS.	
Arrowhead	.06
Black Mammoth	.05
Broken Hills	.14
Bullwhacker	.53
Croesus	.36
Holly	1.45
Round Mountain	.15
R. M. Fairview	.15
Simon	.56
Sterling	.03
White Caps	.04

COLORADO SPRINGS.

	Bid.	Asked.
Cresson	1⅓	1¼
Dr. J'pct.	1½	2¼
Elkton	2	2½
El Paso	8	10
Golden C.	51	54
Granite	7	9
Isabella	3½	4
Mary McK.	3	4
Portland	35	40
U. Gold M.	8	10½
Vindicator	12	13
Rose Nicol.	3	4¼

MARKET LIGHT FOR GRAINS IN CHICAGO

Holiday Dullness in Export Trade Accounts, in Some Part, for Lack of Support.

Special to The New York Times.

CHICAGO, Dec. 27.—Lack of support rather than any great pressure, made for a lower range of grain prices. Wheat closed with net losses of 1¾@2¼ cents; corn, ¼ cent higher on December and ¾@1 cent lower on the deferred futures, while oats were ⅜@⅝ cent lower and rye ⅛ cent higher to ¾ cent lower. Trade was extremely light and mainly of a local character, and it is generally expected that business will be small until after the turn of the year. Sentiment inclined to the bear side, as it usually does at this season, when Argentina commences to ship its new crop.

It was the dullest day in wheat since trading has been active. After the close a majority of the leading commission houses expressed the belief that wheat was a purchase on the soft spots. The character of the commercial reports is attracting considerable attention, as it is the business outlook that is ultimately expected to bring higher or lorew prices. The strong statistical position, with the limited country offerings in the Southwest, prevents local bears from making a demonstration on that side of the markets.

Export business today was very small, only 100,000 bushels being reported as sold; but, under normal conditions, there is practically no demand for grain from abroad during the holidays. Sales of 50,000 bushels were made to go to store for delivery on December contracts. Local contract stocks are 696,000 bushels, compared with 479,000 bushels a week ago.

A reduction of 2,205,000 bushels in the visible supply brought the total down to 45,171,000 bushels, compared with 47,376,000 a week ago, and 78,499,000 last year. A steady decrease is expected from now on, as export clearances on 2,760,000 bushels for the day compared with primary arrivals of 1,901,000 bushels, being for 3 days. A week ago they were 1,920,000 bushels for one day, and last year 2,092,000. Shipments were 911,000 bushels against 576,000 a week ago, and 636,000 last year.

No. 1 Northern at Winnipeg sold at December price for the first time this month, and some deliveries are expected there. No. 2 Northern brought 2 cents under December and No. 3 Northern 7 cents under.

While elevator interests were good buyers of No. 4 grade of corn for delivery on December contracts, that future closed higher. Sales of 100,000 bushels were made to go to store and 85,000 bushels were delivered. During the last three business days of the month grain can be delivered on future contracts in car lots on track. Country offerings to arrive were not large and cold weather is necessitating heavier feeding. Primary arrivals of 1,426,000 bushels compared with 962,000 a week ago and 1,458,000 last year. Shipments were 431,000 bushels, against 265,000 a week ago and 773,000 last year.

For several days there have been rumors to the effect that one of the large State Street stores was in financial difficulties. It develops that one store ran a big sale and managed to dispose of all of its stock of a certain kind, which necessitated heavy purchases from another store that had an oversupply. The fact that a large check was sent by the buyer to the other store was responsible for the rumor that it had to be financed.

Today's Chicago prices for the principal commodities were as follows:

WHEAT.

	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Close.
December	$1.70	$1.69	$1.69	$1.71
March	1.65¼	1.63	1.63½	1.65¼
May	1.61½	1.58½	1.59	1.61½

CORN.

	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Close.	Last Year.
December	70½	69	70	69¾	1.38
May	74¼	73⅛	73¼	74⅛	1.29¾
July	74⅝	73¾	73¾	74⅝	1.28¼

OATS.

	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Close.	Last Year.
December	46⅜	45⅞	45⅞	46¼	82⅞
May	49⅝	48⅝	48⅞	49¼	82⅝
July	48⅜	47⅝	47⅞	48½	76½

RYE.

	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Close.	Last Year.
December	$1.59¾	$1.59½	$1.59½	$1.59	..
May	1.40½	1.39½	1.39½	1.40⅝	1.80⅞

PROVISIONS.

	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Close.	Last Year.
Lard—					
Jan.	13.12	12.70	12.70	13.00	23.22
May	13.60	13.20	13.25	13.40	24.22
Ribs—					
Jan.	11.50	11.40	12.25	11.62	18.70
May	12.25	12.02	12.05	12.27	19.32
Pork—					
Jan.	23.20	23.00	23.00	23.40	36.40

PRODUCE MARKETS.

BUTTER—Receipts yesterday, 7,072 packages. Market firm on high grades; medium values irregular; ladles and packing about ½c lower. Creamery, higher than extras, pound, 56½@57c; extras, 92 score, 56c; firsts, 90 to 91 score, 48@54½c; firsts, 88 to 89 score, 43½@47c; seconds, 83 to 87 score, 37@42c; lower grades, 32@36c; unsalted, higher than extras, 59½@60c; extras, 58½@59c; firsts, 45@57c; seconds, 38@43c; held or storage, high scoring, 51@52c; extras, 49½@50½c; firsts, 40@48c; seconds, 32@38c; lower grades, 25@30c; Danish casks, fresh, 51@53c; State dairy tubs, finest, 52@54c; good to prime, 44@50c; common to fair, 30@42c; renovated, extras, 39@40c; ladles, current make, firsts, 26@28c; seconds, 22@23c; lower grades, 20@21½c; packing stock, storage, 22c; current make, No. 2, 20c; lower grades, 15@19c.

EGGS—Receipts yesterday, 4,991 cases. Fresh eggs firmer under Winter weather in producing sections; fair demand and advance of about 1c on most grades; storage held firmly; whites firm. Fresh gathered, extras, dozen, 77@79c; extra firsts, 75@76c; firsts, 73@74c; seconds, 68@72c; dirties, No. 1, 54@56c; checks, fair to choice, dry, 48@52c; refrigerators, firsts, 60@61c; seconds, 57@59c; State, Pennsylvania and nearby Western hennery, whites, extras, 85c; extra firsts, 82@84c; firsts, 80@81c; gathered whites, firsts to extra firsts, 80@84c; under grades, 70@78c; pullets, 63@68c; Pacific Coast white, extras, 85c; extra firsts, 82@84c; firsts, 80@81c; under grades, 76@78c; pullets, selected, small cut, 75@76c; usual sizes, 63@68c; other Western and Southern, gathered whites, 70@80c; State, Pennsylvania and nearby Western, hennery browns, extra, 80c; gathered brown and mixed colors, graded, extras, 77@79c; firsts to extra firsts, 73@76c.

FOREIGN SECURITIES.

	Rate.	Due.	Bid.	Asked.
Argent. (unlisted)	.5	Sept., 1945	58	60
Belgian (Restor'n).		1934	55¾	58¾
Bel. Prm. Ln., 2045		....	61¼	64¼
British Victory	4	1960	240	259
British Fund	4	1960	231	241
Brit. Nat. W. L.		1922	348	358
Brit. Nat. W. L.	5	1927	331	341
Brit. Nat. W. L.		1920	339	349
Canada	5½	Nov., 1923	81¼	83¼
Canada 6	5½	Dec., 1922	81½	83¾
French Gov. Vic.	5	1931	48½	51⅛
French Loan, '17	4	1943	38¾	41¾
French Prem.	5	Loan of '20	56	59
French Loan, '20	6	1931	57	60
Italy Treas.	5	1923	34	37
Italy Treas.	5	1925	32	34
Russia, ruble bds.	5½	Feb., 1926	5	9
Russia	5½	1921	8	11
Sweden	6	June, 1939	77	78¼
Switzerland	5¼	1929	77	78

THE TREASURY STATEMENT.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27—Revenue receipts and expenditures at close of business Dec. 23:

	This Month.	Corresponding Month, 1919.	*Fiscal Year, 1921.	*Corresponding Fiscal Yr., 1920.
Customs	$14,132,058.24	$18,617,777.13	$145,674,529.32	$136,559,843.98
Internal revenue:				
Income and profits tax	650,602,546.35	824,178,191.01	1,608,135,297.35	1,922,194,429.06
Miscellaneous	107,288,706.57	109,226,902.89	754,688,549.03	727,068,951.68
Miscellaneous revenue	22,431,610.70	28,687,825.25	318,788,614.58	330,164,953.08
Panama Canal tolls, &c.	978,861.35	580,702.58	3,676,673.09	2,674,716.45
Total ordinary	$795,433,783.21	$981,291,398.86	$2,830,963,663.37	$3,118,662,895.15
Excess of ord. receipts over ord. disbursements	536,096,232.70	648,418,871.06	468,186,370.84	....
Excess of ord. disb. over ordinary receipts	....	....	....	568,684,076.77
Expenditures	259,337,550.51	332,872,527.80	2,362,776,792.53	3,687,346,971.92

*Receipts and disbursements for June reaching Treasury in July are included.

SELLING PRESSURE SENDS COTTON DOWN

List Closes at 35 to 45 Point Losses, but Above Last Week's Lows.

Little interest was displayed in yesterday's cotton market. In the early trading prices went up 13 to 19 points for the general list and 31 points for January, but after midday fresh selling pressure appeared and then prices declined all along the line. On this drop, January lost 35 points, net, and the rest of the list lost 45 points. The relative strength of January was generally accepted as coming from hedging operations, which just now are taking the form of purchases of January and sales of later months.

With no Liverpool market as an opening guide, first prices were virtually unchanged from where the market fell off last Friday. After a dull day, during which trading never became excessively active and in which there were times when the market came almost to a standstill, the market closed at the day's low prices. These prices, though, still were well above last week's extreme lows.

In the afternoon selling the South led the way, but Wall Street houses participated and local ring traders also took a hand. So did some of the Liverpool cotton interests, notwithstanding that their market was closed for the last day of the Christmas holidays.

The trade here is interested just now in the innumerable "white sales" which are being announced and in how the cat is to jump once these sales accomplish their purpose of getting rid of retailers' accumulations. If the consuming public shows any disposition to take the goods now being offered, and those which shortly will be offered, it is possible that manufacturers will return to the market as good buyers, but if consumption is not quickened by the "sales," then the outlook for the next few months is anything but good. This problem of what the market is to do should be solved within the next fortnight or three weeks.

Yesterday's quotations follow:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Day.
Jan.	14.75	15.06	14.40	14.45	14.75
March	14.61	14.75	14.13	14.14@14.18	14.58
May	14.67	14.85	14.22	14.22@14.23	14.67
July	14.75	14.94	14.30	14.30	14.75
Oct.	....	15.08	14.50	14.45@14.50	14.95

The local market for spot cotton was quiet, down 25 points to 15c for middling upland; sales 500 bales.

Southern spot markets were: Galveston 14.00c, unchanged; New Orleans 13.75c, down .25; Savannah 15.75c, unchanged; Augusta 13.50c, unchanged; Memphis 14.50, unchanged; Houston 13.50, unchanged; Little Rock 14.50c, unchanged.

Yesterday's cotton statistics were:

	Yesterday.	Last Wk.	Last Yr.
Port receipts	15,670	29,458	36,179
Exports	..	32,229	76,835
Exports, season	2,313,654	2,206,572	2,683,650
New York stocks	24,511	24,976	62,568
Port stocks	1,426,341	1,395,108	1,558,498
N. Y. arrivals	1,775	802	..

COMMODITY PRICES.

Trend Irregular—Grains Are Higher, Others at Recessions.

There was some irregularity to the movement of prices in the wholesale markets yesterday, some of the grains being quoted higher than last week's closing, but other commodities still are on the decline. Wheat advanced 1 cent and corn 2¾ cents per bushel, with flour and oats unchanged. Coffee dropped ⅛ of a cent per pound, with sugar and butter unchanged. Eggs, however, were up 1 cent per dozen.

Lard, in the provisions, dropped ¼ of a cent per pound, with beef and pork unchanged. The only change noted in the metals was a decline of ¼ of a cent in lead.

Spot cotton dropped 25 cents per hundred pounds, printcloths unchanged.

Following are the cash prices for the principal commodities in the wholesale market at the close of business Monday, a week before and a year ago:

	Dec. 27. 1920.	Dec. 20. 1920.	Dec. 27. 1919.
FOODSTUFFS:			
Wheat, No. 2 red	$1.99½	$1.96	$2.50
Corn, No. 2 yellow	.97⅝	.97¾	1.61¼
Oats, No. 2 white	.60	.62	.96
Flour, Minn. patent	9.50	9.50	15.75
Coffee, No. 7 Rio	.06⅛	.06⅜	.15
Sugar, granulated	.08	.08	.09
Butter, cream., 92 score	.56	.55½	.70½
Eggs, fresh-gathered firsts, per dozen	.74	.73	.72
Lard, prime	13.35	13.55	23.25
Pork, mess	30.00	30.00	47.00
Beef, family	27.00	28.00	27.00
METALS:			
Iron, 2X, Phila	33.00	34.00	41.10
Steel billets, Pitts	43.50	43.50	48.00
Lead	4.50	4.55	7.50
Copper	13.25	13.50	18.75
Tin	33.00	33.00	57.75
TEXTILES:			
Cotton, mid. uplands	15.00	15.50	39.25
Printcloths	.05¾	.05¾	.14

Highest and lowest prices thus far in the present year:

	—Highest.—		—Lowest.—	
Wheat	$3.25	Jan. 7	$1.79	Nov. 27
Corn	2.31¾	May 15	.94½	Nov. 27
Oats	1.50	May 7	.60	Nov. 22
Flour	16.25	Jan. 7	9.00	Dec. 1
Coffee	.16¼	Jan. 11	.06⅛	Dec. 22
Sugar	.23	July 12	.08	Dec. 17
Butter	.77	Apr. 24	.51½	Dec. 4
Eggs	.89	Dec. 10	.42½	Mar. 12
Lard	23.50	Jan. 9	13.55	Dec. 20
Pork	47.00	Jan. 2	29.50	Dec. 21
Beef	28.00	Oct. 19	20.00	May 12
Iron	53.51	Aug. 31	33.00	Dec. 23
Steel	65.00	July 23	43.00	Jan. 2
Lead	9.50	Mar. 15	4.50	Dec. 22
Tin	65.25	Jan. 11	32.00	Dec. 14
Copper	19.50	Jan. 5	13.25	Dec. 21
Cotton	43.75	July 22	14.50	Dec. 22
Printcloths	.16¾	Apr. 13	.05½	Nov. 30

NEW INCORPORATIONS

New York Charters.

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ALBANY, Dec. 27.—Thirty-nine new corporations, having an aggregate capitalization of $1,103,100, were chartered today. They include:

Kondolf Realty Co., Rochester, $32,000; O. B. Spiehler, C. V. and J. A. Kondolf, Rochester.

Renfro Smith Co., Manhattan, make motors, $15,000; S. M. Cohen, H. S. Smith, J. F. Renfro, 1,834 Broadway.

A. Conhaim & Co., Manhattan, women's wear, $22,000; M. Rothenberg, L. Minick, A. Conhaim, 38 East 30th St.

Foremost Dress House, Manhattan, $10,000; D. Laster, J. Steiger, A. Gross, 161 Orchard St.

Consolidated Trimmings Co., Manhattan, upholstery, 2,500 shares preferred stock, $100 each, 2,500 common, no par value; active capital, $262,500; J. D. Carroll, A. M. Loeb, C. Chalmer, 60 Wall St.

Heyman, Spinner & Bold, Manhattan, printers, $10,000; A. J. and H. M. Heyman, J. C. Bold, 139 West 49th St.

Physical Culture Knitting Corp., Manhattan, $10,000; B. Cooperman, R. Goodman, B. Cohen, 291 Broadway.

Sunkist Fruit Market, Manhattan, $5,000; F. and S. Rosenberg, C. Weintraub, 85 Hopkins St.

Nor-Dan Electrical Supply Corp., Manhattan, $100,000, make storage batteries; N. C. Degnon, L. C. Naughton, D. F. MacDonald, 161 East 93d St.

Adelman, Shindler & Co., Manhattan, dairy products, $30,000; L. Hirschfeld, M. Shindler, I. Adelman, 1,057 Bryant Av., Bronx.

Button Service Corp., Rochester, $50,000; E. Shantz, J. F. Clark, C. L. Pearson, Rochester.

W. H. Bain, Canajoharie, brokerage, $10,000; B. H. Brower, L. K. and W. H. Bain, Canajoharie.

Stoney & Starkey, Manhattan, selling agents, $15,000; W. P. Palmer, A. B. Royce, C. La Porte, 2,454 Webb Av.

Huguenot Park Hotel Corp., Manhattan, $15,000; G. L. and R. F. McFarlane, W. E. Fuller, 304 East 26th St.

W. G. Souders & Co., Manhattan, partial payment plan brokerage, $10,000; H. E. Towle, H. M. Brooks, E. M. Patterson, 31 Nassau St.

Portchester & White Plains Bus Line, Portchester, $9,600; D. Rich, J. Pizzarello, C. Wein, Portchester.

Thomas Line, Manhattan, steamship agency, $20,000; G. Painter, H. A. Smith, H. S. Thomas, 163 Eastern Parkway, Brooklyn.

County Mills, Deposit, Broome, Co., agricultural products, $40,000; K. C. Smith, J. M. Briggs, J. Pagge, Deposit.

Sterling Art Co., Brookline, musical instruments, $25,000; A. M. Llano, W. A. and R. Price, 189 East 18th St., Brooklyn.

G. and A. Garage Corp., Brooklyn, $7,000; C. Ambash, J. Miller, H. Friedman, 337 East 95th St.

Earlington Dress Co., Manhattan, $8,000; M. and H. Tatelman, I. Tragerman, 49 West 27th St.

J. Richo Films, Rochester, $10,000; O. J. Kane, G. A. Sarles, C. A. Devoe, Rochester.

Velfe Trucking Co., Manhattan, $10,000; A. and D. F. Hartog, G. V. Valenzuela, 634 5th Av.

Printing Crafts Building, Manhattan, 2,500 shares common stock, no par value; active capital, $12,500; C. C. Pearce, W. T. Stock, C. B. Santeo, 120 Broadway.

Direct Outlet Manufacturing Co., Manhattan, women's garments, $10,000; A. A. Deutsch, H. Margoshes, N. Katz, 215 Chester St., Brooklyn.

Teldeman & Bergham, Manhattan, medicinal and household publications, $10,000; A. A. Marshall, V. P. Bergham, J. Teldeman, 147 West Forty-second Street.

Arma Estate, Manhattan, realty, $10,000; G. H. Kebabian, H. H. Heyson, C. C. Hunicke, 27 William St.

Hospital Import Corp., Manhattan, supplies, $25,000; B. Sammet, L. Rothschild, I. Weinberger, 17 West 24th St.

Aurora Bedspread Co., Manhattan, $40,000; A. & A. Petillo, V. Catalano, 7,510 14th Av., Brooklyn.

Oldtime Molasses Co., Manhattan, $100,000; S. Berger, J. Lambert, D. G. Ludins, 818 East 166th St.

Parkway Wet Wash Laundry, White Plains, $30,000; M. Greenwald, L. Adler, S. Schor, 74 Av. C.

International Mica Corp., Manhattan, operate mica-bearing properties, $50,000; G. A. Smith, F. J. Saxton, P. A. Hauser, 45 West 34th St.

Inwood Eureka Laundry, Inwood, $45,000; S. Gaser, P. Turkel, L. Pinkus, 1,551 Av. A.

CAPITAL INCREASES.

Corn Exchange Bank, Manhattan, $6,000,000 to $7,500,000.

Barnes McNamara Morrissey, Manhattan, $32,000 to $50,000.

Rudolph C. Blancke & Co., Manhattan, $10,000 to $50,000.

Candee, Smith & Howand Co., Manhattan, $150,000 to $300,000.

S. Finck Co., Manhattan, $50,000 to $100,000.

Franklin Motor Car Co., Manhattan, $100,000 to $250,000.

Alex Taylor & Co., Manhattan, $125,000 to $250,000.

White & Frieman, Manhattan, $5,000 to $50,000.

Spiegel Waist Co., Manhattan, $15,000 to $30,000.

Knickerbocker Fuel Co., Hempstead, $100,000 to $500,000.

Clarke-Leu Co., Albany, $100,000 to $125,000.

Brant Bros., Utica, $10,000 to $40,000.

REORGANIZATION.

Scarsdale Supply Co., Scarsdale, carry on business with $50,000 and 500 shares common stock, no par value.

NAME CHANGE.

Brown and White Taxi Co., Manhattan, to Taxicab Mfg. Corp.

DESIGNATION.

Zenitherm Co., N. J., fire and water proof products, $100,000; rep., C. W. Fiers, 22 East 17th St.

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Delmar Co., Mass.
Cosmo Commercial Corp., Del.

DISSOLUTIONS.

Deed Realty Service Corp., Manhattan.
395 Canal St. Corp., Manhattan.
122 Bowery Co., Manhattan.
Peck & Durham, Manhattan.
J. Stuart Blackton Feature Pictures, Manhattan.
Equitable Garage, Manhattan.
Harris & Merrit, Buffalo.

New Jersey Charters.

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TRENTON, Dec. 27.—New charters granted:

Yale Piston Ring Co., Boonton, automobiles, $125,000; Fred S. Yale, Thomas G. Saxton, Irene G. Yale, Boonton.

Automatic Telephone Equipment Co., New Brunswick, $100,000; Oscar S. Bowel, Providence; Percy S. Hayden, New York; Harold R. Fick, New Brunswick.

George F. Hewson Co., Newark, real estate, $100,000; George F. Hewson, Mary A. Hewson, Newark; Amelia Heurick, Kearney.

Manufacturers Novelty Co., Newark, leather, $60,000; Albert L. Slavens, New York; Charles Slavens, Harry Fleuchaus, Newark.

Harrisons, Plainfield, women's wear, $50,000; Harry G. Flanagan, Meyer Harrison, James S. Hart, New York.

CAPITAL INCREASE.

Schwarzenbach Hubert Co., West Hoboken, $11,000,000 to $15,000,000.

Delaware Charters.

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DOVER, Dec. 27.—Charters filed

Chemical Industries Corp., manufacturing, $29,000,000; George V. Reilly, Phillip L. Neiser, L. H. Gunther, New York.

Piedmont Corp., New York, mining, $7,000,000; George V. Reilly, Phillip L. Neiser, L. H. Gunther, New York.

Standard Enameling and Trimming Corp., $3,560,000; Harry Lindberg, E. C. Gorman, George Hunt, Detroit.

Peters Eastern Motor Corp., manufacture, $1,000,000; M. L. Rogers, L. A. Irwin, W. G. Singer, Wilmington.

New Haven Stabilinger Co., manufacture motor supplies, $500,000; Charles C. Carroll, Wallingsford, Conn.; Harold H. Holmes, Kelvan S. Valentine, New Haven.

Theodore C. Ulmer, manufacture hardware, $200,000; F. R. Hansell, J. Vernon Pimm, E. M. Macfarland, Philadelphia.

Fansworth Co., stocks and bonds, $134,000; B. A. Human, D. B. Farnsworth Jr, Charles M. Blackmar, Kansas City, Mo.

Eastern Amusement Co., $100,000; M. M. Lucey, M. B. Reese, V. P. Lacey, Wilmington.

Charles W. Rodgers & Co., mining, $100,000; John P. Cann, M. M. Tyson, Henry McKeowen, Wilmington.

Silvoy Co., produce oils, $100,000; Charles Nemberg, Anthony F. Rodrick, Francis A. T. Jomas, New York.

Beaver Navigation Corp., $100,000; John A. McMannus, Warner C. Pyne, Ralph A. Woodend, New York.

Frank B. Off, brokers, $100,000; T. L. Croteau, S. E. Dill, A. M. Hooven, Wilmington.

Pautsville Torpedo Co., manufacture dynamite &c., $50,000; M. M. Lucey, M. B. Reese, V. P. Lacey, Wilmington.

Sanitary Sugar Bowl Co., manufacture, $20,000; A. W. Schoenhut, Jos. A. Brooks, P. Rudy, Pittsburgh.

Baker & Co., stocks and bonds, $200,000; T. L. Croteau, S. E. Dill, A. M. Hooven, Wilmington.

Hester Price Corp., preserve pickles, jellies, &c., $300,000; T. L. Croteau, S. E. Dill, A. M. Hooven, Wilmington.

Ylselk Corp., manufacture, export and import textiles, $2,000,000; T. L. Croteau, S. E. Dill, A. M. Hooven, Wilmington.

Pompano by the Sea Co., Miami, Fla., contracting, $12,000; A. T. Barkdull, Harry N. Pitt, J. W. Bullock, Miami, Fla.

Sapco Corp., real estate, $200,000; James Gaffler, Louis S. Middleboro, Merrill M. Gates, New York.

CAPITAL INCREASES.

Elmwood Co. of Delaware, $100,000 to $2,600,000.

Southern Improved Co., Chicago, $750,000 to $1,500,000.

MEETINGS AND ELECTIONS.

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INDUSTRIALS.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
700	‡Acme Coal.	1	⅞	1
100	‡Aetna Expl. Bache ctfs.	9⅝	9⅜	9⅝
1,872	‡Allied Pack	5⅝	5¼	5¼
100	‡Alum Mfg.	16⅛	16⅛	16⅛
200	‡Am Chicle.	22	21½	22
100	‡Am Ha S S	25	25	25
50	‡Arm Leath.	86	86	86
100	‡ Do pf....	80	80	80
200	‡Br-Am Ch..	3½	3½	3½
900	‡Br-Am Tob, coupon	12½	12¼	12½
100	‡ Do reg'd.	12¼	12¼	12¼
100	‡J G Brill...	48	48	48
1,000	‡Conley T F.	11⅝	11⅜	11⅝
1,150	‡Gardner Mo	14½	14¼	14½
165	‡Goodyear ..	22	20	21
210	‡ Do pf....	50	45	47
8,000	Indian Pack.	3⅜	2⅞	3
200	‡Int Cult pf.	5½	5½	5½
1,050	‡Intercon Rub	5½	5	5
400	‡Kay Co Gas ctfs of dep	1¼	1⅛	1¼
800	‡Lincoln Mo, Class A....	18¼	17	18
200	‡Loco, new..	1½	1¼	1½
300	‡Max Chal B	9⅝	9½	9⅝
900	‡Meteor Mot	20¼	19½	19¾
250	‡Mun Furni.	15½	15⅜	15¼
100	‡Nat Leath.	7½	7½	7½
300	N A P & P.	4½	4½	4½
1,000	‡Peerless Mo	18⅛	18	18⅛
1,500	Perfect Tire	1 1/16	1⅛	1 1/16
800	‡Prof S C & R S Co....	⅞	⅞	⅞
100	‡ Do pf....	1¾	1¼	1½
1,000	‡Radio, w i.	1⅝	1½	1⅝
1,000	‡ Do pf w i	1⅞	1½	1⅞
100	‡Rolls R pf..	40	40	40
200	‡Roy de Fr'ce T. P. Inc..	3⅝	3¼	3⅜
1,000	‡Sweets of A	2½	2¼	2⅜
1,500	‡Tob Pr Exp	8½	7	7
800	Un Prof Sh.	1½	1⅜	1½
1,500	‡URS Candy	7⅝	7	7¼
800	U S St'ship.	1⅛	1	1⅛

STANDARD OIL SUBSIDIARIES.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
800	‡Anglo-Am Oil	16⅜	15⅝	16

MISCELLANEOUS OIL STOCKS.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
30,000	†‡Allied Oil.	18	16	16
400	‡Ark Nat G.	8	7	7½
1,000	‡Boone Oil..	1¼	1⅛	1¼
4,000	‡Carib Synd.	7¼	6⅞	7
500	‡C S B T Sh	29½	29	29
50	‡Cosden & Co	5	5	5
500	‡Denny Oil..	1	1	1
2,000	‡Elk Basin P	7⅝	7¼	7½
1,500	Engineers P.	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
2,600	Federal Oil..	2½	2	2
100	‡Fensland O.	11	11	11
700	‡Glenrock O.	2¼	2	2¼
1,000	‡Granada O.	5	4½	5
1,200	‡Guf-Gil O...	25⅞	25½	25⅞
8,200	‡Hudson Oil	⅜	⅜	⅜
16,000	†‡Hughes P.	10	10	10
900	‡Inter Pet...	16	15⅝	15⅞
500	‡Invader Oil.	173	168	168
1,200	‡Lyon Pet ..	¾	¾	¾
200	‡Maracaibo .	12¼	12	12¼
1,500	‡Merritt O C	10⅞	10¼	10⅝
2,800	Mexico Oil...	1⅜	1⅛	1¼
200	‡Midwest R..	148	146	148
4,800	‡Midwest T.	¾	¾	11/16
4,500	Noble O & G	11/16	11/16	11/16
1,100	N Am O & R	1½	1⅜	1⅜
1,000	Omar O&G n	1⅞	1½	1⅝
600	‡Pennok Oil.	5¼	5	5¼
8,000	‡Red Rock...	⅞	⅝	⅞
100	‡Ryan C w i	11	11	11
600	‡Salt Ck n.	9½	9¼	9½
500	‡Sapulpa Ref	4⅝	4½	4⅝
200	Savoy Oil ..	7	7	7
800	‡Simms Pet.	6⅝	6¼	6⅝
700	Skelly Oil...	7⅛	7	7⅛
8,300	‡Texon O&L.	⅜	5/16	11/32
1,000	‡Uni Tex P.	⅝	⅝	⅝
1,100	‡Vict Oil ...	⅞	¾	⅞
300	‡Wilcox O&G	5½	5¼	5¼
2,000	‡Woodburn .	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛

MINING STOCKS.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
1,000	Al-Brit C M	1/16	1/16	1/16
2,500	†‡Atlanta ..	1½	1	1½
2,800	†‡BelcherExt (a pros.)..	3½	2½	3
8,500	†‡BelcherDiv (a pros.)..	3	2½	3
2,500	Big Ledge..	⅜	5/16	⅜
4,500	†‡Booth	3½	3	3
10,000	†Bost & Mon	40	38	40
4,300	†‡Caledonia..	17	16	16
3,500	Canada Cop.	13	11	13
2,800	†‡Cashboy ..	5	4	4½
100	Con Vir Sil	3	3	3
3,900	‡Cortez Silv	64	62	64
4,300	Div Ex (pr)	27	26	27
1,000	El Sal Silver	½	7/16	½
7,600	Emma Silver	2½	2	2½
11,000	‡Eureka C M	40	37	40
700	†‡Eureka Hol	1 1/16	1 1/16	1 1/16
4,600	†‡Gold Z Div	22	21	21½
2,500	†‡Goldf Con.	5	5	5
3,800	†‡Goldf Dev.	2	1	1½
3,500	†‡Harm D M	20	17	20
475	Hecla Min..	3⅝	3⅝	3 11/16
44,500	†‡Jim Butler	18	17	17½
2,800	†Jumbo Ext.	5	4½	5
2,500	†‡Knox Div.	7½	6½	7
5,000	‡Lone Star..	4	4	4
1,000	Louis Cons..	¼	¼	¼
1,000	†‡MacN Min	1/16	1/16	1/16
1,800	Magma Cop.	16¼	16	16¼
2,500	†‡Marsh Min	8	7	7½
100	‡Moth'lode C	5½	5½	5½
40	‡N J Zinc...	130	127	130
800	Nip Mines...	7⅝	7¼	7⅝
300	Ophir Sil M.	½	7/16	½
400	Prince Con..	⅜	5/16	⅜
1,400	Ray V Cop.	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
200	†‡Sil Kg Div	1½	1	1½
3,500	†‡Silver Pic .	4	3	4
300	St Croix Silv	½	½	½
5,000	‡S A G & P.	3¼	3	3¼
3,700	†‡Success M.	2	1½	2
2,800	‡Suther Div.	1½	1	1½
800	‡Talapoosa S	⅛	¼	⅛
375	‡Ton Belm't	1 1/16	1 1/16	1⅜
2,500	‡Ton Divide.	1½	1	1 1/16
1,450	Ton Exten...	1⅜	1 1/16	1 1/16
320	‡Ton Mining.	1½	1⅜	1⅜
1,500	Un Eastern.	2⅝	2 1/16	2 1/16
7,500	†‡U S C M.	7	6½	7
2,700	†‡Vic D (pr)	4	3½	4
3,200	†W E Cons.	11/16	⅝	11/16
2,500	†Wh Caps M	5	4	4½
10	‡Yukon G Al	20	20	20

BONDS.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
$75,000	‡Allied Packers 6s	51¼	50¼	51½
5,000	‡Aluminium Mfg 7s	95¼	95¼	95¼
50,000	‡Am Tel & Tel, 1924	91½	91¼	91¼
25,000	‡Anaconda 6s	81¼	80½	81
20,000	‡Anaconda Cop 7s	88½	88	88
1,000	‡Armour 7%	94½	94½	94½
6,000	‡Beth Steel 7%, 1935	93	93	93
5,000	‡Can Nat Ry 7%, 1933	100¼	100¼	100¼
50,000	Cons Gas 8s	98	97⅞	98
45,000	‡Denmark 8s	96¼	95½	95½
2,000	‡Diamond Match 7%	100	100	100
6,000	‡Duquesne Light 6s	89	88¼	89
2,000	‡Emp Gas & F 6s, 1926	91⅞	91⅞	91⅞
19,000	‡Goodrich 7%, 1925	81	80	80¼
15,000	‡Inter Rapid Transit 7s	67½	67	67
25,000	‡Kingdom of Norway	99¼	98⅞	99
4,000	‡Laclede Gas Lt 7s	83	83	83
2,000	‡Morris & Co 7½s	94	94	94
23,000	‡N Y, N H & Hart 4%	60	57	57
25,000	‡Norway 8%, w i	99¼	98⅞	99¼
5,000	‡Ohio Cities Gas 7%, 1923	93	93	93
5,000	‡Russian Gov 5½s	10	10	10
17,000	‡Seaboard Air Line 6%	43	42⅞	43
19,000	‡Sears, Roebuck 7s (1 yr)	97¼	97	97
14,000	Sinclair 7½%	87¼	86⅝	86⅝
6,000	‡Solvay & Cie 8s	99¼	99	99¼
4,000	‡Swift & Co 7s, 1925	94	94	94
20,000	‡Swiss Gov 5½s	78	77	77¼
10,000	‡Texas Co 7% notes	97	97	97
10,000	‡Union Tank Line 7s	99⅝	99⅝	99⅝
600	‡S O N Y 7s, 1926	100¼	100¼	100¼
18,000	‡S O N Y 7s, 1927	100¼	100¼	100¼
6,000	‡S O N Y 7s, 1928	100¼	100¼	100¼
2,000	‡S O N Y 7s, 1929	100	100	100
2,000	‡S O N Y 7s, 1931	100¼	100¼	100¼

GERMAN BONDS.

Marks.		High.	Low.	Last.
5,000	‡Hamburg 4½s	14	14	14
200,000	‡Vienna 4½s	2⅝	2⅝	2⅝

†Sells cents per share. ‡Unlisted.

Note—Dec. 21 Lincoln Motor 50 sold at 19¾ and 20 at 20.

PUBLIC UTILITIES

Sales.		High.	Low.	Bid.	Asked.
585	Cities Service	240	228	240	245
1,120	Cities Service pf.	63¼	62⅝	63¼	63¾
793	Cities Service pf. B.	5⅝	5½	5½	6
3,426	Cities Service bk. shares.	30	29	30	30½
$23,100	Cities Service deb. B.	123	115	118	123
57,500	Cities Service deb. C.	89	85	88	90
26,900	Cities Service deb. D.	86	83	83	86
410	Empire Gas and Fuel pf.	82½	82	82	85

	Bid.	Asked.
Am Gas & Electric	93	96
Am Gas & Electric pf.	32	34
Am Light & Traction	73	76
Am Light & Trac pf.	65	69
Am Power & Light	38	42
Am Power & Light pf.	58	62
Am W W & Electric	2	3
Am W W & Elec 1st pf	35	38
Am W W & E partic.	4	6½
Appalachian Power	1	5
Appalachian Power pf.	15	24
Carolina Power & Lt.	27	32
Colorado Power	9	11
Colorado Power pf.	75	80
Columbus Electric pf.	53	58
Com Power, Ry & Lt.	9	10½
Com Pow, Ry & Lt pf.	28	30
Conn Power pf.	72	77
Eastern Texas Electric.	68	73
Eastern Texas Elec pf.	67	..
El Paso Electric	84	87
Electric Bond Sh pf.	77	80½
Federal Light & Trac.	5	7
Federal Lt & Trac pf.	42	49
Galveston-Houston Elec	24	28
Galveston-Hous Elec pf	59	64
Miss River Power	10⅝	12⅝
Miss River Power pf.	58	62
Northern States Power.	..	40
Northn States Pow pf.	74	80
Northern Texas Elec.	70	75
Northern Tex Elec pf.	64	68
Pacific Gas & Elec pf.	78	80
Puget Sound Pow & Lt	15⅛	17¼
Puget Sd Pow & Lt pf.	50	55
Republic Ry & Light	5	6
Republic Ry & Light pf	16	18
Southern Cal Edison	85½	87½
Southern Cal Edison pf	94	98
Standard Gas & Elec.	10	11
Standard Gas & Elec pf	30	32
Tampa Electric	106	110
Tenn Ry, Lt & Power.	½	1¼
Tenn Ry, Lt & Pow pf.	1½	2½
United Light & Rys.	16	18¼
United Light & Rys pf.	48	50
Western Power pf.	18	19¼
Western Power pf.	58	60½

Bonds.

	Bid.	Asked.
Am W W & El con 5s.	46	49
Appalachian 1st 5s, '41	60	67
Cin Gas & Elec 5s, '56.	78	83
Col Gas & El deb 5s, '27	75	80
Col Gas & El 1st 5s, '25	80	83
Conn Power 5s, '83.	73	..
Dallas Electric 5s, '22.	100	..
East Tex Elec 6s, '42	73	77
Empire Gas & El 6s, '24	87	85
Midwest Utilities 6s, '25	80	84
Miss River Pow 5s, '51	74	75
Nor States Pow 5s, '41	74	77
Nor States Pow 6s, '26	76	81
Seattle Electric 5s, '20.	77	79
Stand Gas & E 6s, '35.	65	70
Stand Gas & El 7s, '21.	94	99
Stand Gas 6s, '26.	80	86
Utah Securities	78	80
West States G & E 5s, 41	75	80

STANDARD OIL STOCKS

	Yesterday. Bid.	Yesterday. Ask.	Friday. Bid.
Anglo-Am Oil, Ltd.	15⅝	16¼	16
Atlantic Lobos	27	30	25
Do pf.	70	90	60
Borne-Scrymser	390	410	390
Buckeye Pipe Line.	82	84	82
Chesebrough Mfg.	175	190	175
Do pf.	97	100	97
Continental Oil	104	108	104
Crescent Pipe Line	26	28	26
Cumberland P L.	120	130	120
Eureka Pipe Line.	80	84	80
Galena Signal Oil.	44	46	45
Do pf, new	95	100	95
Do pf, old	95	100	95
Illinois Pipe Line.	155	160	155
Imperial Oil, Ltd.	90	95	90
Indiana Pipe Line.	83	85	83
Int Petrol, Ltd.	15½	16	15½
National Transit.	22	24	22
New York Transit.	155	160	155
Northern Pipe Line	90	95	90
Ohio Oil	260	265	265
Penn-Mex Fuel	34	36	33
Prairie Oil & Gas.	440	450	440
Prairie Pipe Line.	175	180	178
Solar Refining.	350	370	350
Southern Pipe L.	97	100	97
South Penn Oil.	240	245	240
S W Pa Pipe Lines	56	60	55
Stand Oil of Cal.	288	292	290
Stand Oil of Ind, $25 par	65	67	66
Stand Oil of Kan.	540	580	560
Stand Oil of Ky.	380	400	390
Stand Oil of Neb.	390	410	390
Stand Oil of N Y.	315	320	325
Stand Oil of Ohio.	370	390	380
Do pf.	102	105	102
Swan & Finch	15	35	25
Union Tank Car.	99	102	99
Do pf.	93	96	93
Vacuum Oil	280	285	285
Washington Oil.	30	35	30

MISCELLANEOUS STOCKS

	Yesterday. Bid.	Yesterday. Ask.	Friday. Bid.
Am Brass	158	162	158
Am Chicle	22	24	22
Do pf	62	67	62
Amal Leather	7½	20	..
Do pf	30	60	..
Am Light & Trac.	74	76	80
Do pf.	78	82	80
Atlas Powder	118	124	118
Do pf.	74	77	74
Babcock & Wilcox.	103	106	102
Borden & Co.	83	85½	82
Do pf.	79	81	79
Childs Co	76	80	76
Do pf.	88	90	88
Crocker-Wheeler	90	95	90
Draper Corp.	123½	126½	..
Du Pont	145	152	145
Do pf.	75	78	75
E W Bliss pf.	..	60	..
Gil Safety Razor.	130	135	130
H J Heinz Co 7% Dec. 1, 1930	94	94¾	2.75
Hercules	180	186	185
Do 1st pf.	91	93	91
Illinois Traction.	10	15	10
Do pf	52	57	52
Ingersoll-Rand	155	165	155
Do pf	92	97	92
Merck	..	79	..
Merrimac Chem.	76	78	76
New Jersey Zinc.	125	130	125
Niles-Bem't-Pond.	58	62	58
Do pf.	..	90	..
Northern Securities	75	85	75
Royal Bak Powder.	100	108	100
Do pf.	78	80	78
Scovil Mfg.	300	330	300
Singer Mfg, new.	92	95	..
Do old	143	146	142
Stand Screw Co.	220	240	220
Van Raalte	15	20	15
Do pf.	52	57	52
Valvo Oil 1st cv pf	97	100	97

SUGAR STOCKS

	Yesterday. Bid.	Yesterday. Ask.	Friday. Bid.
Caracas Sugar	35	45	40
Central Aguirre	48	52	49
Central Sugar	7	12	8
Do pf.	35	45	35
Fajardo	75	90	80
Federal Sugar	97	103	97
Do pf.	97	103	97
Godchaux	21	25	20
Do pf.	69	75	69
Great Western	220	260	220
Do pf.	105	110	105
Holly	29	33	29
Do pf.	80	90	80
Nat Sugar Ref.	110	120	110
Santa Cecelia	35	50	40
Savannah	10	30	10
Do pf.	43	52	44
West India	80	90	80

TOBACCO STOCKS

	Yesterday. Bid.	Yesterday. Ask.	Friday. Bid.
Am Cigar	78	85	78
Do pf.	78	83	78
Am Tob scrip	93	96	93
Geo W. Helme	140	155	140
Do pf.	87	93	87
MacA & Forbes	100	106	100
Do pf.	76	82	76
J S Young	90	100	85
Do pf.	85	95	85
Porto Rico-Am.	85	95	85
Do scrip	80	90	80
RJReynolds, A, new.	80	85	80
Do B, new	28	32	30
Do pf.	96	99	96
United Leaf Tob.	140	160	140
Do pf.	94	97	94
Weyman-Bruton	150	160	150
Do pf.	87	93	87

CONSOLIDATED EXCHANGE

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
60	Ajax Rub...	25⅝	25⅜	25⅝
50	Allis Chalm.	27⅝	26	26⅝
270	Am Agr C..	54⅝	54	54¼
150	Am B Sugar	36	36	36
240	Am Can....	23¼	22⅝	22⅝
210	Am C & F..	116⅝	115½	116⅝
65	Am H & L..	7	7	7
40	Do pf.....	37½	37½	37½
170	Am Int Corp	32⅝	32	32⅝
125	Am Locomo.	78¼	76⅜	77½
500	Am Safe R	7⅝	7¼	7¼
50	Am S & C..	8⅝	8	8⅝
590	Am S & R..	35½	30	30⅝
10	Am Steel F	28⅝	28⅝	28⅝
65	Am Sugar..	88⅞	88⅝	88⅝
170	Am Su Tob.	70¼	69⅝	69⅝
85	Am T & T..	95	94½	94⅝
310	Am Woolen.	58⅛	57	57½
10	Allied C & D	45¼	45¼	45¼
550	Anaconda C.	32	31⅝	31⅝
40	Atchison	80	80	80
1,285	A G & W I.	100¼	96	98¼
4,570	Baldwin Lo.	82⅛	80⅝	81⅝
230	Balt & Ohio	32⅝	31⅝	32
1	Do pf.....	47	47	47
85	Beth Motors	2½	2½	2½
250	Beth Steel B	54	52⅛	53⅝
50	Booth Fish..	3⅝	3⅝	3⅝
30	Bosch Mag..	48⅝	48⅝	48⅝
40	Bklyn R T..	10⅛	9⅞	9⅞
90	Cal Pet	26½	25⅝	26
40	Can Pacific.	113⅝	113⅝	113⅝
30	C de Pas C	25	25	25
50	Cen Leather	33	32⅝	33
575	Chandler M	63	61½	62⅝
180	Ches & Ohio	56¼	55¼	56
70	Chi & G W.	7⅝	7⅝	7⅝
260	C, M & St P	26¼	24½	24⅝
410	Do pf.....	41¼	39½	40¼
50	Chi No W..	64	64	64
150	C, R I & P	25¼	24½	24⅝
475	Chile Cop...	9⅛	9	9
20	Chino Cop..	17⅝	17⅝	17⅝
30	Coca-Cola ..	19⅞	19⅝	19⅝
585	Col Grapho..	10⅛	9⅞	10
380	C I C M Co	4⅝	4½	4½
40	Col F & I..	26⅝	26⅝	26⅝
270	Con Tex Co.	16¼	16¼	16¼
90	Cont Candy..	4	4	4
390	Corn Prod..	[illegible]	63⅝	64⅜
73	Cosden & Co	26⅝	26¼	26⅝
3,410	Crucible Stl.	79	74	75½
40	Cub Am Sug	27¼	27¼	27¼
90	Endic't John	49	47⅝	47⅝
470	Erie	12⅞	12½	12⅞
40	Erie 1st pf.	18¼	17⅞	17⅞
60	Fam Players	46⅝	46¼	46¼
150	Fisk T & R.	10½	10	10⅞
155	Gas, W & W	2¼	2¼	2¼
845	Gen Motors.	13⅝	13⅝	13½
650	Gen Asphalt	39⅝	38	38⅝
95	Gt North pf.	74⅛	73	74⅛
30	Gt Nor Ore.	24⅝	24⅝	24⅝
110	Houston Oil.	63¼	61½	61½
330	Inspirat C..	28¼	27⅝	28
160	Int M M pf.	47⅞	47⅞	47⅞
90	Inter Nickel.	12	12	12
960	Island Oil...	4½	4¼	4½
150	Invincible O	21½	20⅞	20⅞
350	Inter Paper.	44	41⅞	43
50	Do pf......	10⅛	10⅛	10⅛
60	Kan City So	18⅝	18⅝	18½
30	Do pf......	42⅝	42⅝	42⅝
100	Kelly S Tire	32⅝	32¼	32¼
905	Kenn Cop..	15⅞	15½	15⅞
150	Keys T & R.	7	7	7
60	Lack Steel..	48¼	47⅞	48
50	Lehigh Val..	52⅞	52½	52⅞
110	Loft Candy.	10	10	10
5,100	Mex Pet.....	158	153¼	155
60	Miami Cop..	15	15	15
217	Midvale Steel	30⅝	30	30⅝
1,530	Mid State O.	12¼	11⅝	12
50	Minn & St L	10	10	10
220	Mo Pacific..	16¼	16¼	16¼
20	Do pf......	36	36	36
40	Nat Con C C	3⅛	2⅞	3
5	Nat Enam&S	46¼	46¼	46¼
180	N Y Cent....	69⅝	67⅞	69¼
185	NY, NH & H	16¼	16	16¼
80	Norf & West	96⅝	96¼	96¼
420	North Pac..	79⅛	78	78½
275	Okla P & R.	3⅛	2⅞	3⅛
1,785	Pan Amer...	73¼	71⅝	72⅝
40	Do B......	68⅝	67⅝	68⅝
75	Pennsylvania	39⅝	39⅝	39⅝
310	Pierce-Arrow	17½	16⅝	17
150	Pierce Oil....	10	9⅞	9⅞
60	People's Gas	33⅝	33⅝	33⅝
50	Pere Marq..	15½	15½	15½
70	P & W R R.	28⅝	27½	28⅛
110	Pure Oil.....	31⅛	31	31⅞
10	Punta Al Su.	44¼	44¼	44¼
20	Ry Stl Spgs.	77⅛	77¼	77¼
4,185	Reading	80⅝	78⅝	79⅝
180	Do pf.....	55⅛	55¼	55¼
225	Rep I & S..	59⅝	57⅝	59⅛
1,000	Royal Dutch	60¼	59⅝	60⅛
50	Saxon Mot..	2⅛	2½	2½
145	Sears, Roeb.	92¼	91½	92⅛
1,354	Sinclair Oil.	22⅝	21⅝	22
1,354	So Pacific...	96⅛	94⅝	94⅝
80	Do rights..	22½	22¼	22½
115	So Railway.	21¼	20⅝	21¼
50	St L S W..	23⅝	23⅝	23⅝
80	St L & S F.	19⅞	19⅝	19⅝
70	Strom Carb.	28⅝	27½	28⅛
790	Studebaker..	42⅛	40⅝	41⅝
569	Texas Co....	43⅛	42½	43
90	Texas & Pac	16½	16	16½
710	T P C & O..	26¼	25⅝	26
50	Tob Prod....	47¼	46⅝	46⅝
250	Transcon Oil	6⅞	6½	6⅞
2,970	Union Oil...	20⅝	20	20⅛
180	Union Pac..	115⅝	114⅝	115
60	Un Fruit.....	191¼	190¼	190¼
425	Un Retail S.	50	47⅝	48⅞
40	Un Food Pr.	16⅝	16⅛	16⅛
170	U S Ind Al.	62⅝	61¼	61⅞
1,515	U S Rubber.	56⅝	54⅛	54⅝
4,770	U S Steel...	78⅝	77⅝	77⅞
30	Utah Copper	46⅝	46⅝	46⅝
1,490	Vanadium ..	30⅝	28⅛	29⅝
2,040	Vivaudou ..	7⅝	6⅞	6⅞
120	Va-Car Ch..	31⅝	31⅝	31⅝
85	Western Md.	10⅛	10⅛	10⅛
15	Westing El..	41⅛	41⅛	41⅛
410	White Oil....	15	14⅞	15
380	Willys-Over..	5⅛	5¼	5⅜
85	Worth Pump	40¼	40¼	40¼

NEW YORK CITY BONDS

	Yesterday. Bid.	Yesterday. Ask.	Friday. Bid.
4½s July, 1967	90½	91½	90½
4½s June, 1965	90½	91½	90½
4½s Mar., 1963	90½	91½	90½
4½s Nov., 1957	90½	91½	90½
4½s May, 1957	90⅝	91½	90½
4¼s Apr., 1966	85	86¾	85
4¼s Mar., 1964	85	86¾	85
4¼s Mar., 1962	85	86¾	85
4¼s Sept., 1960	85	86¾	85
4¼s Mar., 1960-30.	85	86¾	85
4s May, 1959	80½	82½	81
4s Nov., 1958	80½	82½	81
4s May, 1957	80½	82½	81
4s Nov., 1956	80	82	80
4s Nov., 1955	80	82	80
4s Nov., 1936	85	88	85
3½s May, 1954	72½	74½	72½
3½s Nov., 1954	72½	74½	72½
3½s Nov., 1955	72½	74½	72½

The following are quoted on a percentage basis:

4½s 1924-1932	5.50	5.00	5.50
4½s 1921-1923	5.75	5.00	5.75
4¼s 1921-1923	5.75	5.00	5.75
4¼s 1924-1931	5.50	5.00	5.50
3½s 1931-1939	5.40	5.05	5.40
3½s 1950-1953	5.25	5.05	5.25
3½s 1924-1930	5.50	5.10	5.50
3½s 1921-1923	6.50	5.50	6.50
3¼s 1940-1949	5.30	5.05	5.30
3s 1940-1953	5.30	5.00	5.30
3s 1926-1930	5.50	5.00	5.50
3s 1921-1925	6.25	5.25	6.25

OUT-OF-TOWN EXCHANGES

BALTIMORE.

Stocks.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
800	Atl Pet	3⅜	3⅜	3⅜
276	Davison Ch..	26½	25½	25½
100	Celestine Oil	75c	75c	75c
480	Con Coal ...	82	81⅞	82
292	Con Power..	82½	82	82½
88	Cosden	26½	26⅜	26⅜
100	Do pf......	3⅜	3⅜	3⅜
28	M&MistNBk.	25⅝	25⅝	25⅝
100	Mt Ver pf...	57	57	57
75	Nor Central.	66½	66½	66½
500	TeresaSugpf.	5½	5½	5½
15	UnRys&Elec.	9½	9½	9½
7	U S Fidelity.	120	120	120

Bonds.

		High.	Low.	Last.
$21,000	Chi Ry 5s..	54⅝	54⅝	54⅝
13,000	Con P 4½s..	71⅞	71⅞	71⅞
$4,000	Md Elec 5s..	75	75	75
60,000	USRy&Elinc.	42¾	42⅝	42¾

BOSTON.

Mining.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
320	Am Zinc ..	6½	6	6½
20	Ahmeek	42	42	42
820	Alaska	90	80	80
50	Arcadian C.	2½	2½	2½
345	Anaconda ..	32⅝	31½	32
210	Ariz Com'l..	6	5⅝	5⅝
2,670	Big Heart..	6	5½	6
106	Cal & Ariz.	41⅜	41½	41½
123	Cal & Hecla.	213	210	211½
240	Carson	13¼	12⅝	13¼
245	Chino	17⅝	17	17
2,310	Cop Range..	26½	25¼	25⅞
140	Davis-Daly .	5¼	4⅞	4⅞
1,100	East Butte..	7⅜	7⅜	7⅜
200	Greene Can.	17	17	17
50	Hancock ...	2½	2½	2½
100	Helvetia	1½	1½	1½
40	Inspiration .	28½	28	28
212	Lake Cop....	1⅝	1½	1½
120	Isle Royale..	16	16	16
500	La Salle	1⅝	1⅜	1⅜
1,123	Mass Cons...	2	1⅞	1⅞
1,080	M'flower OC	3⅝	3 1/16	3⅜
278	Mohawk	43	42	42⅜
12	Nevada	8⅝	8⅝	8⅝
785	N Cornelia..	14¼	14	14¼
350	New Idria..	45	35	35
655	North Butte.	9¼	8⅞	9
190	Old Domin..	15½	15¼	15½
200	Osceola	21⅝	21½	21⅝
210	Quincy	35⅝	35¼	35¼
100	Seneca	16¼	16¼	16¼
339	Shannon	70	60	60
230	St Mary's L	27½	27	27
400	Sup & Bos..	1⅝	1⅜	1⅜
175	Trinity	85	85	85
100	Union Land	60	60	60
1,120	US Smelters	31½	30⅝	31½
56	Do pf.....	42	41	41
200	Utah Apex..	2½	2⅜	2½
1,630	Utah Cons..	3	3	3
7	Utah Cop...	46½	46½	46½
500	Utah Metal..	95	91	95
108	Winona	35	25	25
30	Wolverine ..	8½	8½	8½

Railroads.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
245	B & Albany.	122	121½	121½
192	Boston Elev.	61	60¼	60¼
40	Do pf.....	78	78	78
435	Boston & Me	19	18½	18½
600	East Mass R	50c	50c	50c
850	Me Central..	35	34	34½
33	Do pf.....	55	53	53
1,300	NY, NH & H	16⅞	16¼	16⅝
3	Old Colony..	62⅞	62⅞	62⅞
20	Rutland pf..	15	15	15
231	West End...	38¼	37¼	37⅜
140	Do pf.....	49	48¼	49

Miscellaneous.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
195	Am Agricul.	54⅝	54¼	54⅝
3	Do pf.....	80½	80½	80½
525	Am Pnu Sv	1⅞	1⅜	1⅜
125	Do pf.....	7½	7½	7½
256	Am Sugar..	89	88	88½
20	Do pf.....	99¼	98½	99
2,125	Am Tel	95¼	94½	94½
415	Am Wool ..	58⅛	58	58⅞
14	Do pf.....	91	90¼	90¼
20	Atl Gulf ..	100⅝	100⅝	100½
950	Atlas Tack.	15½	14⅞	15
200	Beacon Choc	3⅞	3⅞	3⅞
1,800	Bos-Mex Pet	65	60	60
11,450	Century	55	50	50
563	East Bos L.	4	3⅝	3½
300	Eastern Mfg	22	21	21⅞
180	Eastern S S	16	15½	16
215	Edison	152	151⅞	152
1,100	Elder	16	16	16
675	Fairbanks ..	45⅝	45¼	45⅝
50	Gen Elec....	118¼	118	118
150	Gorton	8	8	8
445	Gray	10¼	9⅞	10¼
100	Hendee	15	15	15
40	Int Cot Mill	43	42	42
21	Do pf.....	80½	80⅝	80½
45	Int Cement..	21	20¼	20½
520	Int Prods....	7	6⅝	7
5	Island Oil...	4½	4½	4½
100	Libby	11⅛	11⅛	11⅛
10	Loew's	12	12	12
42	Mass Gas ..	79½	79½	79½
125	Do pf.....	59¼	59	59¼
10	McEl 1st pf.	90	90	90
10	Merg'thaler	121	120	121
100	Miss Riv P.	11	11	11
950	Mex Tel	1	1	1
235	Mex Inv	18¼	17⅝	18¼
142	Mullins Body	20	20	20
610	Nat Leather	7⅞	7⅝	7⅞
170	New Eng Tel	94	93⅝	94
205	Ohio Body...	10	9½	9⅝
885	Orpheum ...	24¼	24	24¼
35	Pac Mills ...	147	147	147
300	Pac Develop.	11⅜	11⅜	11⅜
20	Punta Sugar	44¼	44	44¼
1	Plant pf	85	85	85
25	Root	18	18	18
25	Simms Mag.	6⅝	6⅝	6⅝
110	South Phos..	15½	15½	15½
84	Swift & Co..	100½	100	100
204	Swift Int ..	25	24⅝	24¼
260	Uni Drug ..	92⅞	91¼	92¾
100	Unn Twist...	21½	21½	21½
87	Uni Fruit...	191½	190¼	190¼
8,790	Uni Shoe ...	34	33¼	33⅞
45	Do pf.....	24	24	24
95	Ventura	16⅞	16⅝	16⅞
125	Walworth ..	14½	14½	14½
20	Waldorf	17	17	17
4,030	Wickwire ..	19	19	19

Bonds.

		High.	Low.	Last.
$5,000	Am Tel 5s...	75½	74½	75½
5,000	Carson 7s...	90	90	90
4,000	C J & S 4s.	64	64	64
4,000	Miss R P 5s	75	74	75
$3,000	K C So 5s..	60	60	60
4,000	N Eng T 5s	79	79	79
6,000	Swift 5s ...	79½	79	79½
4,000	West Tel 5s	77	77	77

CHICAGO.

Stocks.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
100	Arm Leather	12⅝	12⅝	12⅝
385	Do pf.....	87	86⅝	87
4,700	Armour pf...	82¼	81½	82
100	Booth Fish..	3⅝	3⅝	3⅝
80	Do pf.....	24½	23	23
675	Briscoe	8⅝	8⅝	8½
416	Case	5½	5½	5½
200	C C & Conn	½	½	½
1,650	Do pf......	6⅝	6	6½
100	Ch El Rys pf	5	3½	5
438	Chi Rys Ser 2	2¼	2	2¼
800	Cudahy	54½	54	54
150	Decker & Co	20⅝	20½	20⅝
530	Do pf.....	75⅛	75	75⅛
50	Dia Match...	97	97	97
100	Hupp Motor.	10	10	10
483	Kan Cy Rys	¾	½	½
664	Do pf.....	1¼	1	1
800	Libby	11¼	11⅛	11¼
4,400	Mont Ward..	14⅝	13½	14⅝
235	Do pf.....	88½	88	88
200	Midw Util....	14	14	14
425	Do pf.....	24	23½	23⅞
1,000	Mitchell	4	3⅝	3⅞
1,900	Nat Leather	7⅞	7⅝	7⅞
25	Pick	23	23	23
2,900	PigglyWiggly	10⅝	10¼	10½
75	Qua Oats....	149	149	149
500	Do pf.....	82	81⅝	82
100	Reo Motors..	18	18	18
80	Sears, Roeb.	92	90⅝	90⅝
400	Shaw	53	52¼	53
600	Stew Warn..	26	25⅝	25⅝
150	Stand Gas pf	33	33	33
1,000	Swift Inter..	24⅝	24½	24⅝
600	Swift & Co.	100½	99½	100½
630	Thompson ..	23⅝	23	23⅛
800	Temtor Prod	23¼	22	23⅛
6,400	Un Carbide.	48	47	48
75	Un Iron	10⅛	10⅛	10⅛
70	Un Paperb'd	24	24	24
120	Wahl	38⅛	37⅞	38⅛
190	West Knit...	8⅝	8½	8½
50	Wilson	38½	38½	38½

Bonds.

		High.	Low.	Last.
$6,000	C C & C Ry 5s	30	30	30
21,000	C C Ry 1st 5s	58	57	58
28,000	C Rys 1st 5s	54¼	54⅛	54⅛
$1,000	Chi Tel 5s...	87⅝	87⅝	87⅝
13,000	Peo G ref 5s	62	62	62

DETROIT.

Stocks.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
100	Charcoal I..	2¼	2¼	2¼
600	Cont Motors.	5⅝	5⅞	5⅝
75	Det Edison..	94½	94½	94½
175	Ford of Can	229	225	225
900	Lincoln M...	18	17⅞	17⅞
1,200	Mich Sugar.	7⅝	7⅝	7⅝
225	Packard	10⅝	10¼	10¼
85	Do pf......	70	69⅝	70
250	Paige Det...	15⅝	15⅝	15⅝
600	Reo Motors..	18	17⅛	17⅝
140	Timken	27⅝	27⅝	27⅝

PHILADELPHIA.

Stocks.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
460	Am Stores..	44	44	44
100	Do pf......	86	86	86
265	Am Gas....	28½	28	28
60	Am Rys pf.	15	15	15
1	Brill	52	52	52
1,560	Elec Storage	87⅞	85	87
215	Gen Asph...	38½	37½	38½
285	Lake Sup...	7⅛	7⅜	7½
468	Leh Nav....	64⅝	64¼	64¼
20	Pa Salt	64	64	64
170	PhilCocumpf	30	30	30
303	Phil Elec...	21⅛	21	21⅛
107	Phil Elec pf	27	26½	27
1,878	Phil R T....	14	13⅞	14
130	Phil Trac...	51	50	50
56	Phil & W pf	22	22	22
7,700	Tono Bel....	1 1/16	1¼	1 1/16
1,049	Un Trac....	29	28⅝	28⅝
3,898	Un Gas Im..	27¼	26½	26½
50	W J & S S..	34⅝	34	34⅝
10	York Rys pf	30	30	30

Bonds.

		High.	Low.	Last.
$6,000	AmGas&E5s.	69½	69½	69½
3,000	Elec&PTr4s.	53	53	53
14,000	KeyTel1st5s.	60	60	60
$1,000	LehVal6s,'22	98	98	98
14,000	PhilEle1st5s.	80	80	80

PITTSBURGH.

Stocks.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
250	AmWGMach.	109	108½	109
30	Do pf......	85	85	85
2,140	Ark Gas.....	8	7⅝	7⅝
50	Beth Stl, B..	52½	52½	52½
1,400	Guffey-Gil...	26	26	26
25	Harb-W pf..	100½	100½	100½
100	Ind Brew pf	3	3	3
900	Kay Co Gas	1¼	1¼	1¼
325	Mfrs L & H.	51⅛	51¼	51¼
1,175	Marland Ref	2⅝	2½	2½
90	Nat Fire pf.	11⅝	11½	11½
470	Ohio Fuel O.	16⅝	16⅝	16¼
570	Ohio Fuel S.	47	46	47
1,150	Okla Gas ...	30	28⅝	29⅝
800	Okla P & R.	3	3	3
350	Pitts Brew..	1½	1½	1½
3,500	Pitts-Jerome	3c	3c	3c
18,000	San Toy	3c	3c	3c
510	Transcon Oil	6⅝	6½	6⅝
10	Union Gas..	119½	119½	119½
100	U S Steel...	78	78	78
145	West Air B..	92¼	91½	91½
120	West Elec...	41	41	41

DECLARED DIVIDENDS.

Company.	Rate.	Period.	Payable.	Hold. of Record.
Can. C. C. M. 8% pf.	2	Q	Jan. 1	Dec. 23
Hupp Motor Co.	2½	Q	Feb. 1	Jan. 15
Pub. Service N. J.	$1.00	Q	Dec. 31	Dec. 20
R. R. Securities.	2	SA	Jan. 1	Dec. 31
Un. Gas & El. pf.	2½	SA	Jan. 15	Dec. 31

BOSTON CURB.

	Bid.	Ask.
Ariz. Ext.	2	2½
Ariz. Silver.	17	20
Ariz. Tip Top	6	7
Black Hawk.	11	15
Boston Mon.	40	41
Calaveras	1	1⅛
Chief Con.	2⅝	2⅝
Crown Res.	..	20
Crystal, new.	39	42
Denbigh	13	15
Eagle B. B.	2 1/16	2¼
Eureka Cro.	38	40
Fortuna	..	4
Gadsden	20	25
H..na	6	7
Iron Bloss.	20	30
Iron Cap.	6	6¼
La Rose.	15	22
Majestic	7	10
Mex. Metals.	30	35
Midway Moss	..	25
Monarch	..	15
Mut. Div. Tr.	43	46
Nat. L. & Z.	..	2
Nixon	4	6
Rainier	7	10
Seven Metals	11	13
Silver Reef.	4	6
U. V. Ext.	22½	23
Yukon	75c	1.00

MEETINGS AND ELECTIONS.

NOTICE OF SPECIAL MEETING OF STOCKHOLDERS OF METROPOLITAN BANK.

NOTICE is hereby given to the stockholders of the Metropolitan Bank that a special meeting of the stockholders of said bank will be held in the office of the bank, corner of Fourth Avenue and 23d Street, Borough of Manhattan, New York City, New York, on the 11th day of January, 1921, at 1 o'clock P. M., to consider and act upon an agreement of merger of the Hamilton Trust Company with this bank, duly signed, acknowledged and delivered by the respective officers of the said corporations pursuant to an authorization of the respective boards of directors and trustees of the said corporations, which said agreement of merger has been duly approved by the Superintendent of Banks of the State of New York, said merger agreement providing for the increase of the capital stock of this bank from Two Million ($2,000,000) Dollars, consisting of twenty thousand (20,000) shares of the par value of One Hundred ($100) Dollars each to Two Million Five Hundred Thousand ($2,500,000) Dollars, consisting of twenty-five thousand (25,000) shares of the par value of One Hundred ($100) Dollars each, the object of said increase being to carry into effect the said agreement of merger by which the stockholders of the said Hamilton Trust Company may exchange their shares of stock in that company for the increase capital stock of this company share for share, or to exercise such options as is therein provided. The name of this bank when said merger agreement shall become effective is to remain "Metropolitan Bank." The said question of the increase of the capital stock of this bank as above provided will be considered and acted upon and the stockholders will also consider and act upon such other business relating to the above matters as will properly come before the meeting.

The transfer books of this bank will be closed at 3 o'clock P. M. on the 24th day of December, 1920, and reopened at 10 o'clock A. M. on the 12th day of January, 1921.

Dated, Borough of Manhattan, New York City, New York, December 28, 1920.

By order of the Board of Directors,
HENRY OLLESHEIMER, President.
A. C. CORBY, Cashier.

NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS OF THE PUBLIC NATIONAL BANK OF NEW YORK

Please take notice that the annual meeting of the shareholders of The Public National Bank of New York for the election of Directors and for the transaction of such other business as may properly be submitted to the said meeting, will be held at its Banking House, at the northwest corner of Broadway and 25th Street, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Tuesday, January 11, 1921, at 12 o'clock noon. The polls will be open from 12 o'clock noon until 1:00 P. M.

Dated, New York, December 8, 1920.
C. H. BALDWIN, Cashier.

ANNUAL MEETING OF CHILDS COMPANY.

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the Stockholders of Childs Company will be held at the office of the Company, 200 Fifth Ave., Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 30th day of December, 1920, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of electing Directors for the ensuing year and two Inspectors of Election to serve at the next Annual Meeting, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

The Polls will remain open for one hour.
CHARLES L. ROBERTS, Secretary.
Dated New York City, December 15, 1920.

Okmulgee, Oklahoma, December 23, 1920.
TO THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE TURMAN LOUISIANA OIL COMPANY:

Please take notice that the adjourned annual meeting and a special meeting of the stockholders of the TURMAN LOUISIANA OIL COMPANY will be held at the offices of the company in the Brazeel Building, at Okmulgee, Oklahoma, at the hour of eleven o'clock A. M., Monday, January 10th, 1921.

The said meeting is to be held for the purpose of transacting all business matters that may be properly presented before said meeting and especially to elect directors for the year nineteen-twenty-one, and to receive the reports of the various officers of the company.

All stockholders of record at the close of business on September 20th, 1920, will be entitled to vote.

WOLDEMAR WEISS, Secretary.

COLUMBIA BANK

507 Fifth Avenue, near 42nd Street, New York City.

To the Stockholders of Columbia Bank:

The annual meeting of the Stockholders of the Columbia Bank will be held at its Banking Rooms, 507 Fifth Avenue, near 42nd Street, Borough of Manhattan, New York City, on Tuesday, January 11th, 1921, at 12 o'clock noon, for the election of Directors for the ensuing year, of three Inspectors of Election, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

The polls will be open from 12 to 1 P. M.
GUERNSEY R. JEWETT, Cashier.
December 27th, 1920.

CORN EXCHANGE SAFE DEPOSIT COMPANY

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the CORN EXCHANGE SAFE DEPOSIT COMPANY, New York City, for the election of Directors for the ensuing year and for the transaction of such other business as may properly be brought before the meeting, will be held at the office of the company, 13 William Street, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Tuesday, January 11th, 1921. The polls will be open from 10:30 o'clock A. M. to 11:00 o'clock A. M.

WARD C. PITKIN, Secretary.
New York, Dec. 28, 1920.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the M. E. SCHOENING CO., INC., will be held at the Office of the Company, 26 East 22nd Street, New York City, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of the fourth day of January, 1921.

The purpose of this meeting is to elect Directors and Officers for the ensuing year and to transact such other business as may be brought before the meeting.

The Stock Transfer Books will be closed at 12 o'clock noon, December 24, 1921, and reopen on January 15, 1921.

C. A. BECHTOLF, Secretary.

To the Bondholders of the First and Refunding 5% General Mortgage of the DENVER & RIO GRANDE RAILROAD CO.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a meeting of said bondholders is called to be held at the office of R. Floyd Clarke, No. 26 Liberty Street, City of New York, on the 29th day of December, 1920, at 3:30 o'clock in the afternoon of said day, for the purpose of organizing to protect their interests and to take such other action as may be necessary.

Dated New York, Dec. 24, 1920.
JEFFERSON M. LEVY.

THE BANK OF AMERICA.

New York City, December 24, 1920.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of this Bank for the election of Directors and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting, will be held at the office of the Bank, 44 Wall Street, New York City, on Tuesday, January 11, 1921, at one o'clock P. M. The polls will remain open until two o'clock P. M.

CHARLES E. CURTIS, Cashier.

UNITED STATES TRUST COMPANY OF NEW YORK.

45 Wall Street, December 21, 1920.

AN ELECTION for Trustees to supply the places of those whose terms of office expire, and for Inspectors of the next election ensuing thereafter, will be held at the office of the Company on the Fourth day of January next (the first Tuesday), between the hours of 12 M. and 1 P. M.

WILFRED J. WORCESTER, Secretary.

New York, Dec. 21, 1921.

The Annual Meeting of the stockholders of the Commonwealth Bank, New York City, for the election of Directors and Inspectors of Election for the ensuing year, and for any other business proper to come before said meeting, will be held on Tuesday, January 11th, 1921, between the hours of 11 o'clock A. M. and 12 o'clock noon, at the Banking Room, 190 Bowery, New York City.

GEO. F. A. OLT, Cashier.

COLONIAL BANK SAFE DEPOSIT CO.

The annual meeting of shareholders of this company for election of directors for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of any other business that may come before it, will be held at the office of the company, 441 Columbus Avenue, Wednesday, January 12th, 1921, from 3:30 to 4:30 P. M.

ALEXANDER C. WALKER, Secretary.

UNION LIBERTY STATE BANK

NOTICE is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of Union Liberty State Bank for the election of directors to serve during the ensuing year will be held at its banking house, 162 East 23rd Street, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Tuesday, January 11th, 1921, at 12 o'clock noon.

JOHN J. BONK, Cashier.

MEETINGS AND ELECTIONS.

IRVING NATIONAL BANK

New York, Dec. 27, 1920.

The annual meeting of the shareholders of this Bank for the election of Directors and the transaction of such other business as may be brought before it, will be held in the banking rooms, at 233 Broadway, Tuesday, January 11th, 1921, at 12 o'clock noon, the polls to be open from 12 o'clock noon to 1 o'clock P. M.

The transfer books will be closed from 12 o'clock noon January 8th, 1921, until 10 o'clock A. M, January 12th, 1921.

PHILIP F. GRAY, Cashier.

Commercial Exchange Bank

NEW YORK

New York, December 17, 1920.

The Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the Commercial Exchange Bank of New York, for the election of Directors and the transaction of such other business as may be brought before it, will be held at its Banking House, No. 330 Bowery, on Tuesday, January 11, 1921.

The polls will be open from 12 o'clock noon to 12:30 P. M.

GEORGE KERN, Cashier.

The Annual Meeting of the Comanche County Oil Company will be held in the assembly room of the Waldorf-Astoria Hotel, New York City, at 10:30 A. M., on Monday, Jan. 3rd, 1921. Stockholders of record are entitled to be present.

By order of the Trustees.
J. Monroe Holland, Treasurer-Trustee.

The Chemical National Bank of New York

December 11, 1920

The Annual Meeting of the Shareholders of this Bank, for the election of Directors, will be held at the Banking House, No. 270 Broadway, on Tuesday, January 11th, 1921, between the hours of one and two o'clock P. M.

ALBION K. CHAPMAN, Cashier.

NATIONAL BANK OF COMMERCE IN NEW YORK

New York, December 9, 1920.

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the shareholders of the National Bank of Commerce in New York for the election of directors to serve during the ensuing year will be held at its banking house, 31 Nassau Street, New York City, on Tuesday, January 11, 1921, at 12 o'clock noon. The polls will be open from 12 o'clock to 1 P. M.

H. C. STEVENS,
Second Vice President.

A. B. LEACH & CO., INC.

Notice of Annual Meeting of Stockholders.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of A. B. LEACH & CO., INC., will be held at the office of the Company, 62 Cedar Street, New York City, on Thursday, January 13th, 1921, at twelve o'clock noon, for the purpose of electing Directors for the ensuing year and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

F. B. LASHER, Secretary.
New York, N. Y., Dec. 24, 1920.

NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING THE CHASE NATIONAL BANK OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of this Bank for the election of Directors, to consider amending the Articles of Association so as to increase the authorized number of Directors, and to act upon any other matters which may be brought before the meeting, will be held at the banking house, No. 57 Broadway, on Tuesday, January 11th, 1921, between the hours of 12 M. and 1 P. M.

WILLIAM P. HOLLY, Cashier.

ARROW REALTY COMPANY.—Notice to Stockholders. The regular meeting of the Stockholders of the Arrow Realty Company will be held at the office of the corporation, No. 701 Sixth Avenue, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Monday, January 10th, 1921, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the election of directors and the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting.

THE ARROW REALTY COMPANY,
A. P. W. KINNAN, Secretary & Treasurer.

THE COLONIAL BANK OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of this Bank for the election of Directors for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of any other business that may come before it, will be held at the Banking Rooms, 441 Columbus Avenue, corner 81st Street, Wednesday, January 12th, 1921, from 3:30 to 4:30 P. M.

GEORGE S. CARR, Cashier.

GUARANTY SAFE DEPOSIT COMPANY

December 28, 1920.

The Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of this Company for the election of Directors will be held at 140 Broadway on Tuesday, January 11th, 1921, at 12:35 P. M.

C. M. BILLINGS, Secretary.

DIVIDENDS.

DIVIDEND NOTICE. OFFICE OF PENICK & FORD, LTD., Incorporated,

New Orleans, La.

The Directors of Penick & Ford, Ltd., Incorporated, have declared quarterly dividend No. 4 of one and three-quarters per cent. upon the Preferred Stock of the Company, payable January 1, 1921, to stockholders of record December 20, 1920.

Transfer books will close December 20, 1920, at 3 P. M., and reopen January 1, 1921, at 10 A. M.

Checks will be mailed.
EMILE BIENVENU, Secretary.

UNITED VERDE EXTENSION MINING COMPANY

DIVIDEND NO. 19.

233 Broadway, New York, Dec. 15th, 1920.

The Board of Directors of the United Verde Extension Mining Company has this day declared a quarterly dividend of fifty cents per share on the outstanding capital stock, payable February 1st, 1921, to stockholders of record at the close of business January 5th, 1921. Stock transfer books do not close.

C. P. SANDS, Treasurer.

UNITED GAS & ELECTRIC CO.,

61 Broadway, New York.

December 23, 1920.

The Board of Directors have this day declared the regular semi-annual dividend of two and one-half per cent. (2½%) on the outstanding 5% Preferred stock of the Company, payable January 15, 1921, to stockholders of record December 31, 1920. Dividend checks will be mailed.

J. A. McKENNA, Secretary.

WILLIAM WHITMAN COMPANY, INC.

Preferred Dividend No. 4.

A regular quarterly dividend of one and three-quarters per cent. ($1.75 per share) has been declared upon the preferred capital stock of William Whitman Company, Inc., payable January 1, 1921, to stockholders of record at the close of business December 21, 1920.

NELSON A. HALLETT, Treasurer.
78 Chauncey Street, Boston, Mass.
December 21, 1920.

Commonwealth Bank

New York, Dec. 20, 1920.

The Board of Directors of this Bank have declared a dividend of TWO PER CENT. (2%), free of tax, on the Capital Stock of the Bank out of the earnings for November and December, 1920, payable January 20th, 1921, to stockholders of record at the close of business December 31, 1920.

GEO. F. A. OLT, Cashier.

PACIFIC GAS AND ELECTRIC CO. COMMON STOCK DIVIDEND NO. 20.

The regular quarterly dividend of $1.25 per share upon the Common Capital Stock of this Company, will be paid on January 15, 1921, to shareholders of record at close of business December 31, 1920. The transfer books will not be closed and checks will be mailed from the office of the Company in time to reach stockholders on the date they are payable.

A. F. HOCKENBEAMER,
Vice-President and Treasurer.
San Francisco, California.

Puget Sound Power & Light Co.

Preferred Dividend No. 28

A $0.75 quarterly dividend is payable Jan. 15, 1921, to stockholders of record Dec. 28, 1920.

STONE & WEBSTER, Inc., General Manager

Commercial Exchange Bank

New York, December 17, 1920.

The Board of Directors has this day declared a semi-annual dividend of 5% on the capital stock of this Bank, payable January 2, 1921, to stockholders of record at the close of business Dec. 28, 1920.

GEORGE KERN, Cashier.

FINANCIAL NOTICES.

Sterling Coal Co.

Limited

Notice to Bondholders

By a resolution passed by the Bondholders of the Company at a meeting held on 19th February, 1915, it was resolved to cancel the liability of the Company to pay the interest on the bonds maturing 1st January and 1st July, 1915, and 1st January and 1st July, 1916, until such time as the Directors of the Company should elect to pay the same, with a proviso that the Directors should not declare any dividend upon the capital stock before such interest on such bonds should have been paid in full, together with interest upon such interest at 6 per cent. per annum, compounded yearly.

Coupon No. 10 having been paid on and after July 2nd, 1920, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the second of the Coupons mentioned in the above resolution, namely, Coupon No. 11, due July 1st, 1915, will, on presentation and surrender to the Company, be paid AT THE COMPANY'S OFFICES, 95 BAY STREET, TORONTO, on and after January 3rd, 1921, with compound interest thereon from 1st July, 1915, to 1st January, 1921.

By order of the Board of Directors.
H. G. RATCLIFFE,
Secretary.
Toronto, December 10, 1920.

NOTE.—In respect to each Coupon No. 11, bearing face value of $3.00, the amount of $4.13 will be paid; in respect of each Coupon No. 11, face value $30.00, the amount of $41.30 will be paid.

PUBLIC SALE NOTICE.

$592,000

City of Arecibo, Porto Rico, 5½% Tax Exempt Bonds.

Sealed offers will be received by the Municipal Commissioner of Public Service, Police and Prisons of the city of Arecibo, in his office until January 31st, 1921, at nine o'clock A. M., for the sale of Five Hundred Ninety-two Thousand Dollars ($592,000.00) 5½% Bonds of the Municipality of Arecibo, Porto Rico, maturing from July 1, 1926, to July 1, 1940, inclusive.

The good faith of the People of Porto Rico is pledged as a guarantee for the payment of the principal and interest of these bonds.

Such offers shall be accompanied by a certified check for 3% of the value of the bonds for which the offer is made, said check to be drawn on any bank of the United States or on any bank in Porto Rico, payable to the order of the Municipal Commissioner of Finance, as a guarantee of good faith.

The Adjudicator Committee composed, in this case, of the Commissioner of Public Service, Police and Prisons, the Municipal Commissioner of Finance and the Municipal Secretary, will be in session on the said day and hour in the Hall of the Municipal Assembly in order to legally open the offers presented and to award same then or later to the best bidder in accordance with the conditions of the ordinance adopted by the Assembly. Bidders may be present at the opening of the Assembly either personally or may be represented by their agents or attorneys, and copies of the rules and regulations governing this sale will be sent on application of the interested parties.

Arecibo, November 5th, 1920.
JOSE ADORNO,
Municipal Secretary.

FINANCIAL NOTICE

To the Holders of Dominican Republic 5% Bonds, Issue of 1918, Due 1938.

In accordance with Executive Order 272 sealed proposals will be received by the Secretaria de Estado de Hacienda y Comercio until 10 o'clock A. M. of February 1, March 1 and April 1, 1921, for the purchase for retirement of bonds of the Dominican Republic dated January 1, 1918, due 1938, without regard to series, to an amount estimated at THREE HUNDRED AND TWENTY THOUSAND DOLLARS ($320,000) on each of the above dates, a total for all three dates of $960,000. All proposals shall be submitted in triplicate and shall specify the number of the bonds offered, the series, the par value, and the price at which offered and shall be signed by an official duly authorized to act for the bidders. Upon the outside of the sealed envelopes containing proposals shall appear the words "Proposals opening of ....(fill in date). Said proposals will be opened in public in the office of the undersigned on February 1, March 1 and April 1, 1921, unless such dates fall upon a Sunday or legal holiday, in which case the bids will be opened on the following day.

Arthur H. Mayo.
Lieutenant Commander (SC), U. S. N.,
Officer Administering the Affairs of the Secretaria de Estado de Hacienda y Comercio for the Military Government.

NASHVILLE, CHATTANOOGA & ST. LOUIS RAILWAY COMPANY.

The coupons due January 1st, 1921, on the bonds of this Company will be paid at the Hanover National Bank, New York.

J. H. AMBROSE, Treasurer.

DIVIDENDS.

235th Dividend

CHARTERED 1799

BANK OF THE MANHATTAN COMPANY

New York, Dec. 16, 1920

The President and Directors of the Manhattan Company have this day declared a quarterly dividend of SIX PER CENT. on the Capital stock of this Company, payable on and after Jan. 3rd, 1921, to stockholders of record at the close of business Dec. 23rd, 1920.

The transfer books will not close.

OWEN E. PAYNTER, Cashier

INTERNATIONAL MERCANTILE MARINE COMPANY

Preferred Stock Dividend

A semi-annual dividend of three per cent. on the Preferred Stock has been declared by the Board of Directors, payable February 1st, 1921, to stockholders of record at the close of business January 14th, 1921. Checks will be mailed. H. G. PHILIPS, Treasurer.

To the Holders of Stock Trust Certificates for Preferred Stock of the INTERNATIONAL MERCANTILE MARINE COMPANY:

Notice is hereby given to holders of outstanding stock trust certificates for Preferred Stock of the International Mercantile Marine Company to present their certificates at the Agency of the Voting Trustees, 51 Newark Street, Hoboken, N. J., to be exchanged for definitive stock of the Company.

Pursuant to the foregoing notice, the undersigned, as Agents for the Voting Trustees, will be prepared, on and after February 1st, 1921, to distribute the dividend of 3% to holders of Preferred Stock issued in exchange for Stock Trust Certificates who file mailing instructions with us.

THE NEW YORK TRUST CO.
For Voting Trustees.
New York, December 16th, 1920.

The American Ship Building Company

Cleveland, Ohio, December 22, 1920.

At a regular meeting of the Board of Directors of The American Ship Building Company held December 22, 1920, dividends were decalred as follows:

PREFERRED DIVIDEND.

RESOLVED, that a regular dividend of one and three-quarters per cent. (1¾%) in cash, on the outstanding preferred shares of the Company, be and is hereby declared out of the net earnings of the Company for the current fiscal year, payable February 1, 1921, to preferred stockholders of record at the close of business January 15, 1921.

COMMON DIVIDEND.

RESOLVED, that a regular dividend of one and three-quarters per cent. (1¾%) in cash, and an extra dividend of two and one-quarter per cent. (2¼%) in cash, on the outstanding common shares of the Company, be and are hereby declared out of surplus net profits accumulated at June 30, 1920, payable February 1, 1921, to common stockholders of record at the close of business January 15, 1921.

J. S. GORMAN, Assistant Secretary.

GORHAM MANUFACTURING CO.

Preferred Dividend No. 108.

The regular quarterly dividend of one and three-fourths per cent. (1¾%) on the 7% Preferred Cumulative Voting Stock of the Company has been declared, payable January 3, 1921, to stockholders of record at the close of business December 24, 1920, and the regular quarterly dividend of one and one-half per cent. (1½%) has been declared, payable January 3, 1921, on such of the 6% Preferred Stock of this Company as has not been exchanged for the new issue of Preferred Stock.

WM. S. STONE, Secretary.
Providence, R. I., December 22, 1920.

AMERICAN CYANAMID COMPANY.

A [illegible] ferred Stock of this Company for the three [illegible] declared, payable January 3, 1921, to stockholders of record as at the close of business on December 22, 1920. The Transfer Books will not be closed.

G. M. GRANT, Treasurer.

SAVINGS BANKS.

THE BROOKLYN SAVINGS BANK

INCORPORATED 1827

Pierrepont and Clinton Streets

ENTRANCES
Pierrepont St. and 300 Fulton St.

Interest at the rate of **4** per cent. per annum will be credited to depositors Jan. 1, 1921 (payable on and after Jan. 20th), on all sums entitled thereto.

Deposits made on or before Jan. 10th will draw interest from Jan. 1st.

CROWELL HADDEN, President.
LAURUS E. SUTTON, Comptroller
ARTHUR C. H RE, Cashier
CHAS. C. PUTNAM, Asst. Comptroller

The Bank for Savings

IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
280 Fourth Avenue, Dec. 8, 1920.

203d Semi-Annual Dividend

The Board of Trustees has declared an interest dividend for the six months ending Dec. 31st, 1920, at the rate of

Four Per Cent.

per annum on all sums of $5.00 and upward entitled thereto, and not exceeding $5,000, payable on and after Jan. 20th, 1921.

THE DIVIDEND will be credited to Depositors as principal Jan. 1st, 1921.

DEPOSITS made on or before Jan. 10th, 1921, will draw interest from Jan. 1st, 1921.

Liberty Loan Bonds belonging to Depositors are being received for safekeeping without charge.

WALTER TRIMBLE, President.
LEWIS B. GAWTRY, 1st Vice President.
GEORGE E. ROOSEVELT, Secretary.

SEAMEN'S BANK FOR SAVINGS

76 Wall Street.

THE TRUSTEES HAVE ORDERED THAT AN INTEREST DIVIDEND be paid to depositors entitled thereto for the six months ending Dec. 31st, 1920.

On accounts not exceeding five thousand dollars at the rate of FOUR PER CENT. per annum.

Payable on and after Monday, Jan. 17th, 1921.

DANIEL BARNES, President.
WILLISTON H. BENEDICT, Secretary.
New York, Dec. 9th, 1920.

—NOTICE—

Deposits to draw interest from Jan. 1st or April 1st or July 1st or Oct. 1st must be made on or before the last day of the previous month.

WEST SIDE SAVINGS BANK

Sixth Avenue and Ninth Street.

The Trustees have declared a semi-annual dividend at the rate of

FOUR PER CENT.

per annum, which will be credited on all accounts entitled thereto on Dec. 31st, 1920.

Money deposited on or before Jan. 13th will draw interest from Jan. 1st, 1921.

OPEN MONDAYS, 9 A. M. to 9 P. M.

CLARENCE O. BIGELOW, President.
WILLIAM V. HUDSON, Sec'y and Treas.
ACCOUNTS OF SOCIETIES ACCEPTED.

MAIDEN LANE SAVINGS BANK

170 Broadway, Cor. Maiden Lane.

4%

Deposits made on or before Jan. 10th draw interest from Jan. 1st.

Deposits received from 9 A. M. to 5:30 P. M. Saturdays to 2 P. M.

Join our Xmas Club or Accumulative Savings Plan.

J. HEYNEN, Sec. F. A. RINGLER, Pres.

DISSOLUTION NOTICES.

TAKE NOTICE THAT MR. MORRIS BREDHOFF, who was part owner of the Liberty Paper Box Co., 107 Greene St., has dissolved partnership from the above concern by mutual consent and is going to devote his full time and energy with the Hamilton Paper Box Co., 69-71 Greene St., where he was formerly interested.

MORRIS BREDHOFF.
B. GROSSMAN.
I. GROSSMAN.

PROPOSALS.

STATE OF NEW YORK, OFFICE OF Superintendent of Public Works, Albany, November 30th, 1920.—Notice to Contractors: Sealed proposals will be received by the undersigned at his office in the Capitol at Albany, N. Y., until twelve o'clock noon of Tuesday, January 4th, 1921, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened and read, for improving the Cayuga and Seneca Canal pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 391 of the Laws of 1909, and Chapter 147 of the Laws of 1903, and amendatory laws, as follows: Contract "V." Cayuga and Seneca Canal, Section 1.

For constructing a concrete cut-off wall at the north end of Dam No. 2, Seneca Falls, Sheets 1 and 2. Plans may be seen and detailed specifications, engineer's estimate of quantities, proposal blanks, forms of contract and bonds required and other information for proposers may be had at the office of the Superintendent of Public Works at Albany, N. Y., at the office of the Assistant Superintendent of Public Works for the Middle Division at Syracuse, N. Y., at the office of the Assistant Superintendent of Public Works for the Western Division at Rochester, N. Y., and at the canal office, Spaulding's exchange, Buffalo, N. Y.

Copies of detailed plans or drawings may be obtained from the State Engineer and Surveyor at Albany, N. Y., upon payment to him of the cost of producing them.

Monthly estimates will be paid of ninety per centum (90 per cent.) of the work done at the contract price. Every proposal for said work must be accompanied by a money deposit in the form of a draft or certified check upon some good banking institution in the city of Albany or New York, issued by a national or State bank in good credit within the State and payable at sight to the Superintendent of Public Works for five per centum (5 per cent.) of the amount of the proposal.

The person whose proposal shall be accepted will be required to execute a contract and furnish bonds within ten days from the date of notice of award delivered to him or them in person or mailed to the address given in the proposal.

Upon execution of the contract and approval of bonds, the certified check or draft will be returned to the proposer unless the same shall have been presented for collection prior to such time, in which case the amount of the deposit will be refunded by the Superintendent of Public Works.

The deposits of bidders other than the one to whom the award of contract shall be made will be returned immediately after the award has been made.

The bond required for the faithful performance of the contract shall be in such sum as shall be fixed by the Superintendent of Public Works, which sum shall not be less than twenty per centum (20 per cent.) of the estimated cost of the work according to the contract price, and an additional bond, known as the labor bond, in the sum of ten per centum (10 per cent.) of the amount of the estimated cost of the work according to the contract price, will be required as security that the contractor will pay in full at least once in each month all laborers employed by him upon the work specified to be done in the contract.

In the event that more than one surety company is offered as surety on said bonds co-insurance only will be accepted.

Each proposal must be addressed to the Superintendent of Public Works, Albany, N. Y., and must be endorsed on the envelope with the name of the construction for which the proposal is made.

Award, if made, will be made to the person or persons whose proposal shall be lowest in cost to the State for doing the work, and which shall comply with all provisions required to render it formal. Before any award shall be made the lowest bidder will be required to satisfy the Superintendent of Public Works of his ability to provide suitable equipment and materials for the proper performance of the work.

The right is reserved to reject all proposals and readvertise and award the contract in the regular manner if, in the judgment of the undersigned, the interests of the State will be enhanced thereby.

EDWARD S. WALSH,
Superintendent of Public Works.

PROPOSALS FOR STEAM-HEATING SYSTEM. United States Engineer Office, Custom House, Norfolk, Va.—Sealed proposals will be received here until noon, Dec. 29, 1920, and then opened, for furnishing all material and labor for and installing a steam-heating system in office-storehouse building at Fort Story, Va. Further information on application.

WIDE TRADE REVIVAL IS SEEN BY CALDER

Prosperity Will Exceed Most Optimistic Expectations, Senator Tells Marquette Club.

FAVORS CURB ON COAL MEN

Thinks Law Should Compel Report on Sales—Blames Income Tax for House Shortage.

A country-wide revival of business which will far exceed the most optimistic expectations was predicted last night by United States Senator William M. Calder, speaking at the Marquette Club dinner at the Hotel Commodore. The Senator discussed at length the housing and the coal problems and his prediction of better business conditions came after he had told what the Senate Committee on Reconstruction, of which he is Chairman, expected to accomplish as a result of its investigation of the fuel situation.

"We are undergoing today, in every part of the country," he said, "a severe business depression, almost entirely as a result of the war. We have had unduly high prices and abnormal profits, and deflation was necessary and unavoidable.

"Many men in America today are concerned over the present outlook. For my part, and I make this statement after a nation-wide survey of existing conditions, there is every promise that when the new Administration takes office and the people come to understand the causes of their present troubles, that with the readjustment of both our internal and tariff revenue systems we will at once have a revival of business in this country which will far exceed the expectations of even the most optimistic.

"Do not forget, gentlemen, that fundamentally the affairs of the nation are on a sound basis. Our national wealth exceeds $250,000,000,000, and while the war brought about many difficulties, we will surmount them and will return in a short while to former conditions of prosperity and plenty."

Discussing the coal situation, Senator Calder said that his committee believed that less drastic measures than Government control of coal mining should be applied, and thought it might be necessary to pass a law compelling coal operators, wholesalers, jobbers and retailers to file at stated intervals with the Federal Government a report showing in detail just how the coal was obtained, the price paid for it and the price obtained from consumers.

Speaking of the housing situation, Senator Calder blamed the high Federal income tax rate largely for the shortage of dwellings. Wealthy investors, he said, were placing all available funds in tax exempt securities. He suggested that Congress meet the situation by making mortgages on dwellings exempt from taxes up to a certain figure.

He said his committee had recommended legislation providing for exemption for the next five years of the profits on the sale of new buildings for dwelling purposes, provided the profits are reinvested in new buildings. The committee, he said, also had urged the creation of a home loan banking system in line with the Farm Loan Bank.

SNOWSTORM ENDS IN RAIN.

Weather Helps to Increase Attendance at City Lodging House.

What started out on Sunday to be a real Winter snowstorm ended yesterday as an Autumnal rain. There was snow enough, however, to cause some inconvenience to those who had to go early to work and to interfere slightly with the city's transit facilities.

During the very early morning the Street Cleaning Department issued a call for 8,000 extra men to shovel snow. After this the Snow Removal Bureau stood "at attention" while the beneficent rain cut down the snow removal job so that it was attended to by the regular force, re-enforced by a few extra hands. It was just as well that the rain came to the help of the department for, notwithstanding unemployment, the call to work at 65 cents an hour did not bring an enthusiastic response.

Weather conditions and unemployment are reflected in the attendance at the Municipal Lodging House, at Twenty-fifth Street and the East River, where, Commissioner of Welfare Bird S. Coler said, twice as many men are being accommodated now as at this time a year ago. During the week which ended on Dec. 23, the lodging house took care of 1,478 persons, 84 of whom were women, and three children. In the same week a year ago only 397 persons sought shelter.

JEWS REPLY TO DR. CRAFTS.

Sabbath Alliance Not Linked to Movies, Says William Rosenberg.

The Jewish Sabbath Alliance of America is not linked to the movie industry, William Rosenberg, Executive Secretary, said yesterday in a statement replying to Dr. Wilbur F. Crafts, head of the International Reform Bureau, who criticised the Jewish association in a Sunday afternoon talk in the West Side Y. M. C. A.

"The work of this organization," he said, "is one from a religious standpoint, and no other. Last year, on Jan. 13, the Jewish Sabbath Alliance had a bill introduced in the Legislature which, if passed, would have given the seventh-day observer the privilege, as such to labor and do business on Sunday. This was not a special privilege we asked for, but only an equal religious right guaranteed by the Constitution."

Mr. Rosenberg said the sponsors of the blue law agitation were responsible for the failure of the bill to pass. A similar measure, however, would be introduced in the Legislature soon to convene.

SNOW HALTS BOMB SEARCH.

Police Fear Explosives Are Hidden in Bergen Beach Woods.

Detectives of the Grand Avenue Station, Brooklyn, engaged yesterday in a search of the Bergen Beach woods on Jamaica Bay for gas pipe bombs similar to the one the explosion of which killed John F. McKenney, 16 years old, of 1,248 Union Street. The search was hindered by the snow and will be resumed as soon as the ground clears, as the police fear that other bombs may be hidden in the woods and may be picked up by other boys.

McKenney's two companions, Paul Clandow of 807 St. John's Place and Herbert Brams of 139 Rogers Avenue, who were injured by the explosion, were still in a serious condition at the Swedish Hospital, but it was said that they probably would recover.

Tighten Loans to Stores.

The action of the banks in refusing loans to retailers who do not promptly liquidate their merchandise has awaited in many instances the conclusion of the holiday busines, but from now on, according to reports current in wholesale circles yesterday, there will be a tightening up of bank credits where tardy merchants are concerned. The most spectacular move in the campaign of liquidation was seen yesterday in the case of Pittsburgh stores, which inaugurated a general 50 per cent. reduction. While general cuts of this kind were not expected to spread to other retail centres, it was stated that reductions will be on a par in other quarters taking all price discounts into consideration.

THE BUSINESS WORLD

COMMERCIAL PAPER.

Yesterday ....7¾ to 8 p. c. for the best names
Friday ....7¾ to 8 p. c. for the best names

The quotations are for six months' paper.

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Gray Goods Open Dull.

The week opened dull in the local market for gray goods yesterday, and business was light both in individual orders taken and in the aggregate yardage disposed of. Sheetings were more or less neglected throughout the day, but in the printcloths, December-January business was done in 39-inch 68-72s at 9¼ cents, in 38½-inch 64-60s at 8 cents, and in 38½-inch 60-48s at 6¾ cents. Fine yarn goods and specialties were quiet, although some trading in 39-inch 64-104, 4.20-yard sateens took place at 13½ cents.

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New Clock a Fast Seller.

A consignment of new clocks from abroad has been sold out by the jewelry department of the Bush Terminal Sales Building, necessitating a cabled order for additional supplies. The clock is run by a small electric battery which does not require renewal for 1,000 days. It is said to keep good time and because of its electrical operation needs little, if any, attention. The wholesale price permits the sale of the article at retail for about $50. Department stores and retail jewelers have been the principal buyers.

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Showing New Silverware.

The new lines of silverware prepared for the coming season show, it is said, a preponderance of Grecian designs. A marked improvement is noted in the plated ware, particularly in the use of non-tarnishable metal. The makers have recalled their former prices and are taking new orders on a basis of from 10 to 25 per cent. lower. Orders booked during the past two weeks and all undelivered portions are being reentered at the new figures. The new price basis is expected to result in a more active demand.

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Felt Hats Coming Well.

After a somewhat slow start, the reason for which is not apparent, felt hats are taking very well at the present time, according to reports from the millinery trade. The most popular types of these hats are trimmed with georgette scarfs, which drop over the edge of brims. The preferred shape in felt hats is a mushroom effect with a full, bell-shaped crown and a short turned down brim. While most of the models seen here are made entirely of felt, a few show the use of georgette or crepe de chine for making the crown. Pale gray and sand are the most favored shades.

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Are Lower Wages Necessary?

Whatever effect high wages may have in increasing the cost of production in some lines of merchandise, a well-known industrial engineer has issued a report which seems to indicate that they are not vital to low prices in some industries. The engineer in question is authority for the statement that the labor cost in making men's shirts ranges from 15 to 50 cents, depending on the grade of the article, or about 10 per cent. of the total production cost. To reduce wages 10 per cent., he points out, would mean reductions in labor cost running only from 1½ to 5 cents a shirt. In the case of overalls, underwear, hosiery, pajamas, collars and similar articles the labor item in the cost of production is also relatively low, and little or no savings for the consumer would be effected by reducing wages of operatives.

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Shoe Buyers Are Waking Up.

After a period of quite prolonged apathy toward what has been going on in the wholesale end of the shoe trade, buyers are beginning to "sit up and take notice." Not only have out-of-town retailers lately sent in Spring orders which they might just as well have given to the salesmen who solicited their business on their initial trips, but local buyers are said to be showing definite signs of buying interest. Advance orders on the books of the manufacturers are well behind those of the corresponding date last year, both in the number of pairs sold and in the dollars and cents totals. From indications, however, a good deal of the discrepancy will be made up during the next two or three weeks. It is not expected, however, that the "boom" business of the last few years will be equaled.

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Buying $250,000 Worth of Goods.

Louis Traxler, President of the Louis Traxler Co., Dayton, Ohio, yesterday arrived in this market with a delegation of buyers from his store who will purchase $250,000 worth of merchandise. He stated that holiday business had been very good and that under the stimulus of special sales the next two months ought to furnish a satisfactory trade. He emphasized the need, however, of the stores getting back to a basis of pre-war prices as quickly as possible. Such values are necessary, he said, to restore the confidence of the buying public. The buyers, who accompanied Mr. Traxler and are making their headquarters at the resident buying office of Alfred Fanti, represent the following departments: piece goods, ready-to-wear, muslin underwear, men's and boys' clothing, notions, fancy goods, carpets and rugs.

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Made Good Profits.

While no figures are available on the amount of business taken in by the stores during the holidays, it seems commonly agreed among those in touch with the stores that profits were unusually good over the period. On certain lines open to more general competition, margins were not so large, but on those coming properly in the classification of holiday goods, long profits, it was said, were common. This was said to be particularly true of imported articles, where the mark-up reached the 100 per cent. mark and over. One retail representative, in fact, characterized holiday profits as "shamefully good."

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Dress Buyers Promise Business.

Dress buyers are expected to come to this market in large numbers after the turn of the year, and from the present outlook the active business done in these garments this Fall will be repeated during the coming season. From a number of sources has come the information that merchandise men, encouraged by the Fall showings of their dress departments, have increased buyers' appropriations for Spring. With buyers having more money to spend and with dress prices lower than they have been in recent seasons, prospects are regarded bright for a volume business. The early coming of Easter which is usually the line of demarkation between suits and dresses, will mean a longer season for the latter. All that is said to be needed to insure an excellent season for the manufacturers is the use of a reasonable amount of judgment on their part about cutting up goods in advance.

BUSINESS NOTES.

The fourteenth annual convention of the National Canners' Association, the Canning Machinery and Supplies Association and the National Canned Foods and Dried Fruit Brokers' Association, together with allied and affiliated organizations, will be held at Atlantic City the week of Jan. 17.

Julius Brunner, resident buyer for Kahn Brothers, Oakland, Cal., will be located at 404 Fourth Avenue, Room 1303, after Jan. 1.

The National Trunk and Baggage Sales Exhibition has established headquarters on the seventeenth floor of the Bush Terminal Sales Building, in charge of Arthur Levy.

The selling office of the Morgan Knitting Mills, Inc., of Newark, is now located at 345 Broadway.

ARRIVAL OF BUYERS

Arriving Buyers may register in this column by telephoning Bryant 1000.

AKRON, Ohio—Kirk Co.; L. D. Freiberg, carpets; Pennsylvania.

ALBANY—W. M. Whitney & Co.; T. S. Bellin, women's neckwear, handkerchiefs; 1,164 B'way.

ALTOONA, Pa.—William F. Gable & Co.; J. M. Fay, linens; C. L. Carpenter, men's furnishings; I. Trudeau, prints; Mr. Sykles, cottons; 230 5th Av.

ATLANTA, Ga.—M. Rich, Bros. & Co.; F. A. Sheram, notions, fancy goods, hosiery, underwear; 352 4th Av.

BALTIMORE—Shapiro & Gann; H. Shapiro, coats, suits, skirts; 1,170 B'way, Room 610.

BALTIMORE—Stewart & Co.; T. L. Shanahan, men's furnishings; 2 W. 37th.

BALTIMORE—Maass & Kemper; G. W. Busch, white goods, linens; The Annex.

BALTIMORE—The Leader Dept. Store; Miss A. V. Decker, dresses; 1,261 B'way; Imperial.

BALTIMORE — Fink - Roemer - Harcum; H. Fink, neckwear materials; The Annex.

BALTIMORE—A. Frank & Sons; H. S. Frank, tailor trimmings; Pennsylvania.

BALTIMORE — Fribush Bros.; L. Fribush, mfrs. cloaks, suits; Pennsylvania.

BALTIMORE—Hochschild-Kohn Co.; Miss C. H. Fuld, corsets; 220 5th Av.

BALTIMORE—Stewart & Co.; Miss L. H. Greaves, notions; 2 W. 37th.

BALTIMORE—L. & I. Greenbaum; L. Greenbaum, mfrs. waists, house dresses; 1,182 B'way; Pennsylvania.

BALTIMORE—Hecht Sons; J. Sonneborn, women's ready-to-wear; Pennsylvania.

BALTIMORE—O'Neill & Co.; A. Stockett, silks, velvets; Pennsylvania.

BALTIMORE—A. Eisenberg & Co.; A. Van Tassel, silks, dress goods, wash goods; Pennsylvania.

BINGHAMTON, N. Y.—A. R. Swartz Co.; A. Goodman, women's wear; 25 W. 30th.

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SILK SHIRTING Wanted—Remnants, for spot cash; state quantity. Box 12, Room 206. 286 5th Av.

SILK Wanted—Plain and changeable, taffeta and satins; also crepe de chine. M. N. Arida, 118 West 22d.

SILK, JAP, Wanted—Natural; open for quantity 3¾ to 7 momme. Holland Mills. Stuyvesant 8223.

SILKS Wanted—Will buy all kind radiums, fancies; for cash. S. & M. Silverstein, 12 West 27th.

SILKS Wanted—Tub silk, flesh only, 200 pieces. Arthur Cohen & Schleifer, 127 Madison Av.

SILK (JAP) Wanted—3¼ to 4½ mme.; spot cash. Rosenbaum Waist Co., 235 West 27th.

SILK, JAP, Wanted—3½ momme, natural and finished, for cash. Stuyvesant 8280.

SILKS Wanted—Printed radiums, will pay cash if necessary. Call Watkins 8942.

SILK Wanted—Radium, will pay cash. Premier Garment, 145 West 28th.

SILK Wanted—Radium, tan only. Call A. Levy & Co., 145 West 27th St.

SILKS, Jap, Wanted—4 to 8 Mommie natural; for cash. Spring 713.

SILKS Wanted—Crepe de chine and radium. Cahn & Plaks, 135 West 26th.

SILKS Wanted — Plain radium linings. Schwartz Bros., 150 West 22d.

SILVERTONES Wanted—Lightweight, any quantity, cash. Betty Dress Co., 1,123 Broadway.

SKIRTS Wanted—Jobber wants newest novelty Spring skirts, call between 9 A. M. and 3. P. M. See Mr. Arzt, care of Silber & Mameson, 107 W. 25th.

SKIRTS Wanted—Looking at Spring samples, 7th floor. 48 West 25th.

SUEDINE Wanted—13058; all colors. Spring 8676.

SUITS AND WRAPS Wanted—Jobber placing quantity orders on high-class suits and wraps. See our Mr. Lawrence, 12th floor, 12 West 27th St.

SUITS Wanted—Popular and better made for misses, juniors and ladies. Call 12 West 27th, 1st floor.

SUITS—Wraps wanted, jobber looking at Spring line popular prices. A Jacobs, 30 West 32d.

SUITS Wanted—Jobber placing orders on Spring suits. 43 West 27th. Room 501.

SUITS Wanted—Jobber looking at better grade suits. 31 West 31st. 4th floor.

SUITS Wanted—Jobber looking at suits and coats, 4th floor, front. 17 West 28th.

TAFFETAS Wanted—Big quantity; must be cheap; cash. Empire Waist & Dress, 54 East 11th.

TAFFETAS Wanted—Navy, black, brown, gray, cash. Bildmore Dress, 6 West 20th.

TAFFETAS and CREPE DE CHINES Wanted. Betty Dress Co., 1,123 Broadway.

TAFFETAS Wanted—Open to buy taffetas in any shade. Maurice Kutner, 279 5th Av.

TAFFETAS Wanted—Navy and brown; good qualities. Furman, 39 Union Square.

BUYERS' WANTS.

TAFFETAS Wanted—Open for large quantity, brown, navy and also other colors; bring sample piece with you. Wiesen & Goldstein, 1,107 Broadway, cor. 24th, 10th floor.

TAFFETA Wanted—Will buy for cash any quantity, good quality only. 5th floor, 28 West 33d. Telephone Pennsylvania 6330, Mr. Jacobs.

TAFFETA, Canton Crepe and Jap Silk Wanted—200 pieces, good grade, at a price; will pay cash. Schroeder & Co., 53 West 36th.

TAFFETA Wanted—Open for large quantity of taffetas in brown and navy. Mr. Hirschorn, Eureka Dress Co., 35 West 33d St.

TAFFETAS Wanted—Brown, navy and Japan blue. Samuel Krebs Co., 561 Broadway. Spring 4431-4432.

TAFFETAS Wanted—For cash, 3249 and 206 or similar, all shades. Letzter, 433 4th Av.

TAFFETA Wanted—Will pay spot cash for 5,000 yards, brown and navy; immediate delivery. Irving Mirkin, 136 West 25th.

TAFFETAS Wanted—Navy and brown; any quantity, for cash. Blau & Hirsch, 143 Madison Av.

TAFFETAS, GEORGETTES Wanted—Japs; all shades; at a price. Max Levine, 146 West 26th.

TAFFETA Wanted—All kinds, any quantity, for cash. Room 807, 3 West 29th.

TAFFETA Wanted—Better grade black and colors. Madison Square 9426.

TAFFETA Wanted—All colors. Paris, 18 West 27th.

TRICOTINE Wanted—Navy, Reads 9992 or Franklins 141 and 142 or all other good qualities; cash transaction. Asch Co., 30 West 36th St. Fitzroy 1550.

TRICOTINES Wanted—Andrews 5782, navy and colors; all quantities; cash. Jacob Cohen, 1,333 Broadway.

TRICOTINES and Poiret Twill Wanted—Call with types, Blauner Bros. & Co., 1,372 Broadway.

TRICOTINE Wanted—American 0388, Reads 9992, Loraine; cash, at price. Watkins 2423.

TRICOTINES Wanted—Big quantity; must be cheap, cash. Empire Waist & Dress Co., 54 East 11th.

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TRICOTINE Wanted—Good tricotine at a price. Alper & Schultz, 1,140 Broadway.

TRICOTINES Wanted—2002, 5036, 0388, 817, quantity at right price. Longacre 4134.

TRICOTINE Wanted—$2 cash for any good make. Myer Gans Co., 151 West 26th.

TRICOTINES Wanted—Good quality, for cash. A. H. Gittelson, 39 West 29th.

TRICOTINES Wanted—Immediate delivery, navy. Monarch Dress, 8 East 27th.

TRICOTINE and Serges Wanted—0388 and 7301. Sol Levine & Co., 12 West 27th.

TRICOTINES Wanted—Also velours; quantities. Zeitz & Levin, 2 West 33d.

TRICOTINES Wanted—Rookie only, good quality. 138 West 26th, 7th floor.

TRICOTINE Wanted—Andrew's 5782, navy. Longacre 3935.

TRICOTINES Wanted—Quantity; $2 and under. Brill Dress Mfg. Co., 118 W. 27th.

TRICOTINES Wanted — Good quality. Schwartz Bros., 150 West 22d.

TRICOTINES Wanted—5782 or equal; also cheaper qualities. Murray Hill 7658.

TRICOTINE Wanted—Read's 5800, navy and tan. Murray Hill 3912.

TWILL CORDS Wanted—F. & H. 1031 tricotine, 0388. Watkins 3641.

VELOURS Wanted—Polos and velours, heavyweight, staple colors. Kleinberger Bros., 151 West 26th.

VELOURS Wanted—Lightweight, all shades; must be cheap. Watkins 129.

WAISTS Wanted—Jobber placing orders on new Spring blouses. Contractors, call with samples, 251 5th Av., 1st floor.

WAISTS Wanted—Jobber placing orders Spring line. Room 14, 1,155 Broadway.

OFFERINGS TO BUYERS.

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ARMY GOODS—Jerkins's, finest lot, immediate delivery from floor; also other merchandise bargains; bring cash. Walden, 100 5th Av.

CANTON CREPE—Navy, brown, gray, tan and black; heavy quality. Hopf & Co., 159 Madison Ave. Telephone Vanderbilt 3783.

CANTON CREPES—All shades, good quality; immediate delivery. Letzter, 433 4th Av.

CANTONS—6,000 yards printed, 40c. Myers & Fishel, 432 4th Av.

CHARMEUSE—Street shades, $1.50. Myers & Fishel, 432 4th Av.

COATEES—Plush, also cloth coats, jobs, fur trimmed, close out, exceptionally low prices. Korostoff, 12 West 21st st.

COATEES, Coats, Plushes, long, short, fur trimmed, plain; sacrificing prices. Singer & Son, 45 West 27th.

COATEES—Plush, best fur trimming, for cheapest price. 7th floor, 48 West 25th.

COATS, WRAPS AND SUITS below cost—Silvertones, velours, Bolivias trimmed with Australian opossum, nutria and seal. Etkin, 106 West 32d.

COATS, WRAPS—Trimmed with squirrel, opossum, beaver-rite and sealine; 300, will sacrifice. Marcus Klipper & Co., 34 W. 27th.

COATS—2,000, sacrifice, including our silk plush, fur-trimmed coatees, $9.75. Gelfond, 141 West 28th.

COATS—Wrappy styles, large fur collars, cheap; also plain and fur trimmed suits. Lee Hexter & Co., 38 West 25th.

COATS—Closing out wonderful selection of suedine and bolivia with fine fur collars; call at once. I. Novick, 45 West 27th.

COATS—25 Australian opossum-trimmed; closing out at $19.75; also others, cheap. Ulius Bros., 37 West 32d.

COATS, SUITS AND WRAPS—Spring's smart models now ready. N. Hurwitz & Son, 38 West 21st.

COATS—Children's, juniors' and ladies', for January sales. D. Kantor & Wasserman, 3 East 17th.

COATS—200 wraps and coats, better grade, fur trimmed and plain, at sacrifice prices. Rubinstein & Dochter, 140 West 22d.

COATS AND SUITS—Season's best styles, fur-trimmed, sacrifice. Cooper, Lansner & Cooper, 115 West 27th.

COATS, Suits, jobs, leading materials; raccoon and opossum trimmed; sacrifice. Ohringer, 9 West 20th.

COATS—Jobs 200 infants' and children's to close out at a sacrifice. Scharf, Hirson & Shapiro, 136 West 21st. Watkins 226.

COATS—Ladies' cloth coats, plush coating; close out for January Sale; $6.75 up. Frank, 48 West 22d.

COATS—Ladies', misses' and juniors' to close out very cheap. Schwartz & Zemsky, 33 East 9th.

COATS—Desirable lot of fur-trimmed coats to close out at special prices. Norwalk Bros., 105 Madison Ave.

COATS—Silk plush, plain and fur trimmed, to close out at a price. Givner, Berkman & Hamburger, 43 West 27th.

COATS—Sacrificing stock beaver, raccoon, Australian collars, $22.50. Bernstein, 31 West 31st.

COATS—Last 100 Fall coats; will accept reasonable offer. American Cloak Co., 11 West 17th.

COATS—Closing out jobs, heavy all wool velour, 5 styles with fur collars; $8.75. A. Jacobs, 30 West 32d.

COATS—Children's, juniors', ladies', fur trimmed; close out. Edelson & Hand, 16 West 22d.

COATS—Sacrificing Bolivias, suedines, plain and fur-trimmed. Cohen-Edelman, 35 West 31st.

COATS AND WRAPS—1,000 to close out at a price. Monarch Garment Co., 236 5th Av.

COATS — Girls' close out very cheap. Kramer, 12 West 31st. Longacre 4532.

COATS, wraps, 150; price no object. Rubin, 429 6th Av., cor. 26th.

COATS—Children's cloth coats; sacrifice for January Sale. Rolly Polly, 48 West 22d.

COATS—Children's to close out. Levitan Bros. & Zarkower, 136 West 21st.

OFFERINGS TO BUYERS.

COATS AND WRAPS—Immediate delivery; chamoistyns, evoras, valdyns, tasmanias, bolivia, &c.; nutria, Australian opossum and raccoon trimmed; also a large assortment of cheaper coats at a price. Stollerman, Donovan & Berkman, 1,140 Broadway.

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COATS—Wraps, Bolivias, velours, neutria, raccon, Australian oppossum collars, snappy styles, prices exceptionally low for January sales. Rothblum Goldberg, 33 West 26th.

COATS AND WRAPS of the better kind, close out. 32 East 31st, tenth floor.

COATS—300, at a great sacrifice. 40 West 27th, 4th floor.

CORDUROYS — 9000, 613, all colors; also remnants. Stuyvesant 1404.

CREPE DE CHINE—Crepe meteors and georgettes, 52 colors, and silks of every description, for spot delivery; prices far below manufacturing cost; export trade solicited. M. Marks Co., 354 4th Av. Madison Square 7300.

CREPE SATIN AND CHARMEUSE—Below market price. Florence Silk Co., 456 4th Ave.

DRESSES—We have about 2,000 all-jersey dresses, embroidered on waist and skirt, at the unusually low price of $5.75; also tricotines and serges at remarkably low prices; if interested, call, write or wire. Goldblatt & Schaeffler, 130 West 25th. Chelsea 3205.

DRESSES—For buyers interested in running sales on dresses of the better kind we have to offer our surplus stock of tricotine, satin, crepe and minuettes, &c., in assorted lot at an average price to meet their requirements. Princess Dress House, 25 West 31st.

DRESSES—We offer for immediate disposal, exceptional lot of high class party and dancing frocks; make offer on the best lot in New York. Schroeder, 53 West 36th.

DRESSES—New models of Spring styles, in all materials, at very low prices for January sales; ready for immediate delivery. George Kuhn, 148 West 24th.

DRESSES—300 of better kind at sacrifice; tricotine, velvets, charmeuse and evening gowns; no reasonable offer refused. Hahn-Benjamin, 143 West 29th.

DRESSES—Spring line of better grade, advanced models in the latest materials, for immediate delivery at owest prices. Bon Ray Dress, 510 6th Av.

DRESSES, Coats, Suits, Waists—Retail store, closing out at a sacrifice; entire stock. Economy Shop, 764 Coney Island Av., Brooklyn, N. Y.

DRESSES — Serge and tricotine dresses; must be disposed of this week; wonderful bargains for your January sales. Rosen & Co., 28 West 25th.

DRESSES—Styles especially designed to put action into January sales; our regular $22.75 models now $10.75. M. Kirschner & Sons, 16 East 33d.

DRESSES—About 50 sample dresses, taffetas, poiret twills, tricotines of the better kind to close out. F. S. L. Mfg. Co., 43 West 24th.

DRESSES—Beautiful assortment of smart evening dresses to close out at exceptionally low price. Princess Dress House, 25 West 31st St.

DRESSES—50, high-class, duvetyn and chiffon velvet, to close out at an exceptionally low figure, Princess Dress House, 25 West 31st.

DRESSES—3,000 tricotine, serge, velour and velvet at sacrifice prices; also jobs in samples of taffeta and satin dresses. Pan American Dress Co., 12 West 21st St.

DRESSES—Closing out our new Spring line, consisting of taffetas, georgettes; very new and snappy styles. 303 5th Av., Suite 1904.

DRESSES—Big bargains; wool velour, $6.75; wool serges, embroidered, $4.75; satins, close out. Loeb-Nussbaum, 119 West 23d.

DRESSES — Closing out checked velour, beaded satin and beaded georgette at a sacrifice. Gold Dress, 142 West 24th.

DRESSES—Contractor has 1,000 tricotines to be picked off the racks for half the price. Jeanne Mfg., 129 West 31st.

DRESSES—Contractor has a job of good charmeuse dresses to close out; also coats. 35 West 21st, 4th floor front.

DRESSES on the racks; closing out 500 tricotine and serges; good styles. Posnick, Nonas Co., 18 West 21st.

DRESSES—Tricotine serges, charmeuse and satin, job of; sacrifice price. Smart Costume, 1,193 Broadway.

DRESSES—1,000 tricotines, at $9.75, for January sales. F. W. R. Dress Co., 11 West 20th.

DRESSES—Tricotine, serge, charmeuse, to close out. 510 6th Av., between 30th and 31st Sts., 6th floor.

DRESSES—Jobs charmeuse, velour and serge dresses, close out very cheap. 31 West 31st St., ninth floor.

DRESSES—Closing out at sacrifice prices, satins, charmeuses. I. Frank & Son, 6 West 32d.

DRESSES—All wool tricotine Spring models to close out at a price. Brill Dress Mfg., 118 West 27th.

DRESSES—Jobbers! Jobbers! Spring line of better grade advanced models now ready. M. Kirschner & Sons, 16 East 33d.

DRESSES—Popular priced, in tricotine and serges. Well Made Skirt Co., 3 West 29th.

DRESSES—Satin party charmeuse cloth at a sacrifice. Knoxall, 152 West 25th St.

GEORGETTES—$70, 8 per cent. cash; also taffetas, very cheap. Saffir & Linder, 24 West 30th.

GEORGETTE—Very large color assortment. Florence Silk Co., 456 4th Av.

HOSIERY—20,000 dozen ladies' and men's cotton hose, all colors, first quality, 67½c to $1.10 dozen; ladies' mercerized seamed back, first quality, $2.85 dozen; sacrificing big jobs in heavy wool hose. Quinto Co., 1,123 Broadway.

HOSIERY — Women's heather stockings, $3.75, $6.50 and $8 dozen; men's, $3.50, $4.50 and $6.50 dozen. Simon-Kahn, 911 Broadway.

HOSIERY—Silk underwear, high class stock, to sell at sacrifice. Diamond, 36 West 34th.

LININGS—Highest grade tussah linings, 4,000 yards, at 65c. Myers & Fishel, 432 4th Av.

NIGHTGOWNS—Women's flannelette, double yoke, $7.50 dozen; children's, $5.75 dozen; also all kinds of jobs in bloomers, kimonos, house dresses; suitable for special sales. Simon-Kahn, 911 Broadway.

POCKET KNIVES—24,000 and table cutlery American made steel goods at half of factory price. B. Seifert, 113-115 University Pl., N. Y. C.

RIBBONS—Artificial silk, picot, grosgrains, Nos. 5 & 9; also plain grosgrains, all sizes; first class goods, very reasonable. Write S. Schwartz, 1,630 1st Av., New York.

SERGES AND TRICOTINES—Cotton warps and all wool, French, storm and mannish, cream serges, panamas, poplins, mohairs, oxfords and other materials. Franklin Woolen, 30 West 24th.

SERGES AND TRICOTINES—7614, 7512, 7120, BPNL, PPL, WFX, 54289, 4061, 5608, 0936, 838, 7008, 9056, 800, DRW., Andrews, Gera tricotines and others. Henry Samson, 656 Broadway. Spring 2716.

SERGES—7301, 7120, 11433, 104, 7512, 7614, 1464, 0936, 235. Davidoff Bros., Madison Square 3745.

SERGES—87, Amesbury, 7301, 7614, 54289, 7120, WFX, 11433. Horowitz, Stuyvesant 2153.

SERGES—Amoskeag, 8850; black and navy; others. Warren Woolen, 41 West 23th.

SKIRTS—Wool, plaid, pleated for January sales, at unheard of prices. Correct Skirt, 15 West 24th St.

SKIRTS—All wool plaids, to close out. M. & L., 133 West 23d.

SUITS—Misses' Fall suits, fur trimmed and plain to close at low price. Davidson & Vorck, Inc., 25 West 26th.

SUITS—Better grade fur-trimmed and plain to close out, very cheap. Samuel Fine, 12 West 27th

SUITS—Sacrificing balance of Fall stock, including fur-trimmed. Cohen-Edelman, 35 West 31st

SUITS—Better grade fur trimmed and plain, close out very cheap. Samuel Fine, 12 West 27th.

SUITS—Closing out at a sacrifice. Potter & Schattman, 31 West 31st.

SUITS AND COATS—Entire fall stock, high grade, cheap. 7th floor, 48 West 25th.

TAFFETA—Navy, brown, good quality; also chiffon taffeta; if interested, please call; no telephone calls. Sol Sol Rosenfield, 31 East 27th.

TAFFETAS—Brown, navy, copen.; fine quality; $1.10-$1.20 yard. Nassau Silk, 24 East 21st.

TAFFETAS—Navy and brown. Brody Costume Co., 145 Madison Av.

TRICOTINES—Closing out cheap, 0388, 5782 and good qualities, navy, grey, tan, rookie, black; also high class poiret twill. Madison Square 1520.

TRICOTINE —5782, and other makes, all colors, very cheap. Madison Square 5134.

TRICOTINES—Read's and other good quality serges; 833 U. S. S. Z. Stein, Chelsea 3924.

UNDERWEAR—Women's heavy fleece-lined vest and pants, $6.50 dozen; boys' and girls' fleece union suits, $7.50 dozen. Simon-Kahn, 911 Broadway.

VOILES—White, 40-in. hard twist, 20 cases, 15 cents, 4% cash. C 124 Times.

WAISTS and OVERBLOUSES—Crepe de chine, georgette and tricolette, for January sales to close out. Deutchman Brothers, 15 West 20th St.

WRAPS AND COATS—300 fine wraps and plush coats, close out cheap. Schoenfeld Co., 20 West 37th.

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CONTRACTOR wanted on children's gingham dresses; one with out-of-town factory experience only and able to take care of 60 machines. World Children's Dress Co., 145 Greene St.

CONTRACTOR who makes better class tailored dresses wanted to connect with reliable house. Box 762, 200 Cable Bldg.

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E. H., 298 Times.

CLOTHING PICKETS KEPT IN BY STORM

Only 1,500 of 60,000 "Locked Out" Workers Summoned Appear for Demonstration.

THESE PARADE TO SHOPS

Manufacturers Announce Their Readiness to Guarantee Spring Deliveries.

A picketing demonstration by "locked-out" clothing workers and sympathizers failed yesterday because of the bad weather. The entire membership in the "locked out" group of the Amalgamated Clothing Workers, about 60,000 workers, had been summoned to several east side halls for a parade through the manufacturing district, but only about 1,500 appeared. These, headed by Abraham I. Shiplacoff, general manager of the New York Joint Board of the Amalgamated, marched from Manhattan Lyceum, 64 East Fourth Street, to the forty-five factories where lockouts are alleged to have been instituted. Police reserves were stationed along the routes covered by the pickets and in front of the various manufacturing establishments. No disturbances were reported.

William Bandler, President of the Clothing Manufacturers' Association, said yesterday it was the purpose of the association to prevent the sovietizing of the clothing industry. He repeated his charge that the union, by insisting upon "impossible wages and conditions, hopes to destroy the New York clothing market with its annual business of $200,000,000, and to take possession of the factories."

The manufacturers here had announced to the retailers throughout the country, Mr. Bandler said, that they were ready to accept and guarantee delivery of orders for Spring clothes at reduced prices. The manufacturers were confident, he said, that with the support of the public, "the only concerted movement in America to bring Russia's chaos to these shores will be crushed."

Distribution of relief to needy members was commenced by the Relief Committee of the Amalgamated yesterday at 621 Broadway.

According to the union, while the picketing demonstration was in progress yesterday the marchers found a large detail of policemen in front of the plant of J. Friedman & Co., in West Nineteenth Street, where several clashes between union and non-union workers occurred last week.

"Assistant Manager Drubin and Secreatry-Treasurer Monat of the Joint Board went to the scene and found the police attempting to establish a new rule of allowing only six pickets," said a union report. "They protested, insisting that there should be at least one picket for each of the dozen policemen on duty in front of the factory. Deciding to make a test case, pickets were sent on the line in whatever numbers the union officials thought necessary, and were not interfered with by the police."

A union statement announced that the plant of Alfred Decker & Cohen had reopened in Chicago with a 30 per cent. increase over their normal force. "'In their cutting department,' the statement went on, 'they have added 55 cutters to their normal 185. The public may well be asked which market is likely to give cheaper clothing, Rochester or Chicago, where production goes on, or New York and Boston, where lockouts are instituted.'"

ARNSTEIN TO DEMAND TRIAL.

Says Authorities Lack Evidence and That Indictment Will Be Quashed.

Special to The New York Times.

CHICAGO, Dec. 27.—Nicky Arnstein dropped into Chicago tonight to see his wife, Miss Fanny Brice, the actress, and their daughter, Frances Brice Arnstein, at present at the Hotel Sherman.

Nicky has just returned from Washington, D. C., where a jury was unable to agree that he had knowledge of the disappearance of $300,000 in bonds, as charged by the prosecuting offiers. The trial had kept the Arnstein family separated since Thanksgiving Day.

"In a few days I am going back to New York, where I am scheduled to go on trial Jan. 2, in connection with these bond disappearances," Arnstein said. "I am sure the State does not want to start the trial, but I will demand that it proceed. They have no evidence against me and I expect them to ask that the indictment be nolle prossed.

"Every effort was made to convict me in Washington, more than $150,000 being spent in the prosecution. Had I been given a separate trial I would have been found not guilty, but I suffered because of the doubt raised in the minds of some of the jurymen regarding other defendants.

"I hope the case will be cleared up soon, or this daughter of mine will grow up before I really can get acquainted with her."

WORKING AGAINST COLBY.

Ex-President of Santo Domingo Tries to Stir South Americans.

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SANTIAGO, Chile, Dec. 27.—Secretary Colby has been preceded through South America by Henriquez Carvajal, former President of Santo Domingo, who is heading a propaganda commission charging that the United States has committed atrocities in Haiti and Santo Domingo and attempting to persuade the South American republics to champion the islanders against the United States.

Carvajal has just reached Buenos Aires, following trips to Rio Janeiro and Montevideo, leaving his declarations fresh in the minds of each capital before Secretary Colby's arrival.

Carvajal's mission has added to Latin hostility toward the United States. Reports of oppression visited on the islanders by Americans have been used throughout South America by persons who have warned South Americans against the "imperialism" of the United States.

GOVERNMENT SHIPS IDLE.

Two Hundred Small Craft Without Business, Benson Reports.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—About two hundred Shipping Board vessels are tied up for lack of business, Chairman Benson said tonight, but most of them are small lake-type steamers.

The present shipping situation is undeniably unsatisfactory, the Chairman said, but the Government's condition compares favorably with that of the private owners.

MORE HELP NEEDED For the Hundred Neediest Cases

More than $100,000 is required to meet the requirements for the 200 verified and meritorious cases of misfortune and helplessness in the City of New York included in THE TIMES "100 Neediest Cases." The fund is several thousand dollars short. Contributions of any sum are appealed for. Send check to order "100 Neediest Cases," care THE TIMES, Times Square.

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Minister to Washington Calls Reports "Absurd and Nonsensical on Their Face."

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—Denouncing as "enemies of Cuban independence" those persons who are making it appear that the present economic and political situation in Cuba might make supervision by the United States necessary or even desirable as a temporary measure of relief, the Cuban Minister here, Dr. Carlos Manuel de Cespedes, asserted in a statement which he issued today that reports of possible American intervention are "absurd and nonsensical on their face."

He declared that Cuba with the friendly service and co-operation of the United States "will emerge from her present economic difficulties on a sounder basis and with a clearer conception of her best interests for the future." As to Cuba's political difficulties, the Minister said he "earnestly hoped and believed they would be patriotically solved in Cuba and by the Cubans themselves."

The Cuban Congress is about to convene, Dr. Cespedes stated, "in order to provide the necessary legislation to meet the financial difficulties."

MANY STEAL RAILWAY RIDES.

Evidence of the Spread of Unemployment Found at Baltimore.

Special to The New York Times.

BALTIMORE, Md., Dec. 27.—Railroad travel to and from Baltimore showed a marked increase for the months of November and December. Investigators whose business it is to study the conditions are certain of the fact, despite statements of railroad companies that revenues from passenger business are steadily declining.

The wanderlust, unfortunately for the company treasuries, is not felt by those who purchase tickets. The man responsible for the increase is he who seeks the "side door Pullman." His bed is no downy berth in a palatial Pullman; he rides in a box car or on the brake beams of a coal carrier, his dreams interrupted by the fear of rolling over too far.

The parlor cars and coaches are becoming emptier and fewer, because of the increasing spirit of economy and dullness in business; the "hiking itch," as the tramp puts it, is putting in its appearance again everywhere. For five years it has been almost unknown in the East. Men settled down, worked hard and saved money. Now many of them have lost their jobs; they cannot get others here, and they must hunt elsewhere.

Box car travel is not a lawful means of transport. Therefore the railroad police are very busy nowadays, and one man, in particular, has haled nine hoboes into court recently, each of whom was about to leave town via the through freight to the West. Every man, when haled into the police station, said he was not a regular tramp, but being out of work, he was forced to jump on a freight. All said they intended to get jobs as soon as they struck a big town in the Middle West.

In the two police districts where nearly all the railroad yards are located, twenty-four men were arrested within five days for being on railroad property unauthorized.

Obviously the total number of free rides taken on freight trains in this time is many times this number, because the railroad police can catch but a small proportion of the riders. Tramps often wait until a train reaches the outskirts of the city before boarding it, and if any of the train crew catches them later they are merely put off—none too gently—and not arrested. Similarly those coming into the city drop off before the town is reached and walk the rest of the way.

WANT ENRIGHT TO EXPLAIN.

Wardens Seek Light on Gift of 140-Pound Deer to Commissioner.

Police Commissioner Richard E. Enright was asked yesterday to appear before the State Conservation Commission, Broadway and Forty-second Street, and tell all he knows about the 140-pound deer a frend shipped to him from Massachusetts. The venison was seized by conservation agents at the Grand Central Terminal Friday night.

The Game Wardens learned that an unnamed physician, who had been spending ten days in Massachusetts, had packed up a fine young buck and started it toward the Commissioner's home in St. Mark's Avenue, Brooklyn. This act is said to be a violation of the State game laws, carrying a penalty of from $200 to $1,000. It was explained that the Conservation Commission merely wanted to have Mr. Enright throw some light on the matter so it could decide whether a violation of the law had been intended.

METRIC ASSOCIATION MEETS

Professor Kennelly Calls Present System "Curse of Babylon."

Advocates of the metric system met at the fourth annual meeting of the American Metric Association, held in the Engineering Societies' Building yesterday afternoon, and discussed the means of introducing the system into the United States. A bill now before Congress to establish it as a single standard, after a transitional period of ten years, was read.

At the dinner which followed our present duo-decimal system was described by Professor Arthur E. Kennelly of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology as "the curse of Babylon, the old man of the sea, whose tail is around our necks." Other speakers said that schools ought to teach the metric system. A message was sent to the National Education Association, now meeting in Cleveland, calling attention to the reform's economic importance.

MRS. MASON LEFT $1,727,001

Bulk of Her Estate Bequeathed to Four Daughters.

The estate of Mrs. Emma J. Mason, who died Jan. 28, 1918, was appraised yesterday at $1,727,001. The bulk of the estate was in stocks and bonds worth $1,428,053, of which $591,300 was stock of the Quincy Mining Company. She had $55,522 in foreign securities.

Mrs. Mason gave the bulk of the estate to her daughters, Edith de Klee, of Paris, Bertha Von Isenberg, of Bavaria, Marie Paterson, of Ticehurst, England, and Marguerite O'Brien, of London.

ARREST PROSTRATES KIN.

Hansen Freed After Sister Dies and Mother Is Taken Ill.

CHICAGO, Dec. 27.—After the shock of his arrest as a murder suspect had caused the death of his sister, Mrs. Marie Ellsworth, and a serious breakdown of his mother, as his attorney declared, Paul Hansen, who surrendered last Friday when police besieged his home, was freed today. The police say they were unable to connect Hansen with the slaying of Paul J. Loberg, a jeweler shot last week in a hold-up.

Hansen's sister was taken seriously ill when he was arrested ten days ago. His second arrest caused a fatal relapse, the family says. His mother has not yet been told of her daughter's death.

Can't Agree on Milk Price.

No agreement was reached yesterday afternoon on the January milk price at a conference of committees representing the Dairymen's League, Inc., and the New York Milk Conference Board. Albert Manning of the league said last night that further negotiations would be necessary.

BACTERIA RESEARCH MAKES NEW GAINS

Dr. Flexner Tells Scientists of Noguchi Discoveries in Yellow Fever.

VACCINE TO FIGHT MALADY

Microbe Cultivated Outside the Body—American Association Meets in Chicago.

CHICAGO, Dec. 27.—Dr. Simon Flexner, Director of the Rockefeller Institute for Medical Research, tonight reviewed bacteriological progress for the last twenty-five years, in an address which marked the opening of the annual convention of the American Association for the Advancement of Science, and of the twoscore affiliated societies. More than 1,100 scientists are attending the sessions, over which Dr. L. O. Howard, chief of the Federal Bureau of Entomology, is presiding.

Dr. Flexner used for his initial point the announcement made in 1895 of the discovery of the curative effects of diphtheria antitoxin and traced bacteriological progress from that time. He described in considerable detail some classes of diseases initiated by filterable parasites—micro-organisms so minute that they pass through the pores of earthenware and are beyond the power of any microscope. These minute organisms induce in animals such maladies as the foot and mouth disease, and hog cholera, and in man such definite and severe diseases as infantile paralysis and trench fever.

An account of Dr. Noguchi's recent investigations of yellow fever was given by Dr. Flexner, who said that disclosures had proved it to be caused by a tenuous spiral microbe which can be cultivated outside the body and be made to yield a vaccine for the prevention of yellow fever and a serum for the treatment of cases already started.

At the session of the Entomological Society of America, J. M. Aldrich of the National Museum, Washington, said that he had found one small tribe of Mono Lake Indians who caught and dried a ton and a half of caterpillars in a season for food.

Prentiss Baldwin of Cleveland, Ohio, told the Wilson Ornithological Club the results of his investigations of the migration of birds as developed by his trapping and marking of birds at his Cleveland home and also at his Winter place in Georgia. Contrary to general belief, the house wren is frequently divorced from his mate during the season, said Mr. Baldwin. Some wrens return year after year with the same mates, while others have been discovered with two different mates in the same season.

STUDY CF JOURNALISM.

Instructors at Nine Institutions Meet to Discuss Methods.

COLUMBIA, Mo., Dec. 27.—The second meeting of the Association of American Schools and Departments of Journalism opened here today and will continue through tomorrow. Means of establishing definite standards for instruction similar to those adopted by the American Association of Law Schools and the American Association of Medical Schools will be considered.

Nine universities with developed schools of journalism are members of the association, the list comprising Columbia University and the State universities of Missouri, Wisconsin, Oregon, Montana, Ohio, Indiana, Texas and Kansas.

Dean Walter Williams of the University of Missouri is President and Professor Willard G. Bleyer of the University of Wisconsin Secretary and Treasurer of the association. It was organized at Chicago in 1917, with a view to co-ordinating the work of the different schools and to establish fixed requirements for graduation and the amount and character of instruction.

Topics of the chief speakers at the meeting follow:

"Journalistic Writing in Secondary Schools and Its Relation to University Instruction in Journalism," Will H. Hayes, University of Texas.

"Relation of Schools and Departments of Journalism to Professional Organizations of Newspaper Men," Dean Walter Williams, University of Missouri.

"Standardized Requirements for Graduation for Schools and Departments of Journalism," Professor J. W. Cunliffe, Columbia University.

"The Proportion of Technical Instruction to General Courses in Schools of Journalism," Professor L. M. Flint, University of Kansas.

"Research Work in Journalism," Professor Bleyer, University of Wisconsin.

RELIEVE PROPERTY OWNERS

City Must Pay Cemeteries' Share of Improvements in Queens.

For the first time since consolidation property owners in Queens have been relieved of paying assessments for public improvements that properly belonged to cemetery corporations. Under existing statutes the latter do not hve to pay any part of the cost of street, highway or sewer improvements, or for the legal opening of streets adjacent to their property.

Recently an assessment was laid for the opening of the Kew Gardens road in the Forest Hills section and adjacent to Maple Grove Cemetery. Other property owners insisted that if the city authorities continued to exempt the cemeteries from payment of one-fourth the cost of public improvements then the city at large ought to pay the cemetery's share.

Yesterday the filing in the Bureau of Assessments and Arrears of the assessment rolls in the Kew Gardens opening proceedings revealed that the contention of the property owners had been upheld by the Board of Estimate and the Board of Assessors.

Improvements costing many millions of dollars are about to be made by the borough officials in the vicinity of the cemeteries.

CORNELL DAM OVERFLOWING

City Losing Billion Gallons a Day of Winter Flood.

Special to The New York Times.

CROTON, N. Y., Dec. 27.—A fall of water six inches in depth was tumbling over the wide spillway of the Cornell dam of the Croton Lake reservoir today, with an estimated loss of about 1,000,000,000 gallons per day to New York City. It makes a cataract resembling Niagara Falls.

A midwinter overflow is a rarity. Whenever there is an overflow from the Croton Lakes it is usually in the Spring, when there are heavy rains and thaws. But while it was snowing today the water was roaring down the spillway, a drop of 150 feet, to the gorge of the Croton River below. The spillway is about 1,250 feet wide. The overflow is equivalent to the amount the city draws from the Croton supply in three days. At wholesale rates charged by the city the water lost daily is worth over $125,000.

Claim Boston Is Greatest Fish Port.

BOSTON, Dec. 27.—This city was said to have become the greatest fishing port in the world with the announcement today that 122,226,000 pounds of ground fish had been brought here during 1920, shattering all records of the last thirty-two years. It is estimated that at least 3,000,000 pounds will have been added to this total before the year closes. The heaviest previous receipts were in 1910 when the total reached 100,232,968 pounds.

EXPECTS HOTCHKISS TO QUIT THE BENCH

Tammany Predicts Resignation in Time for Smith to Appoint McGoldrick to Supreme Court.

A report that Justice Henry D. Hotchkiss of the Supreme Court had resigned or would do so in time for Governor Smith to name his successor gave rise to a prediction in Tammany circles yesterday that the Governor would appoint Edward J. McGoldrick to the place. Mr. McGoldrick has already served on the Supreme Court bench under appointment by the Governor. He failed of election when a candidate for Justice of the Supreme Court at the November election.

Governor Smith left for Albany early in the day and Justice Hotchkiss is in California. It had been rumored for some time that he would retire from the bench, but it was not known that his resignation would come so early. It was suggested yesterday that he might have been prompted to retire now in order that Governor Smith might name a Democrat as his successor.

District Attorney Edward Swann, it was stated yesterday by persons who should be in a position to know, is not likely to be appointed a Judge of General Sessions to succeed the late James T. Malone. If Mr. McGoldrick went back to the Supreme Court it was said Jeremiah T. Mahoney, law partner of former Deputy Controller N. Taylor Phillips and a member of the firm with which Supreme Court Justice Robert F. Wagner was formerly connected, was likely to be offered the place. Mr. Mahoney served several months on the General Sessions bench without compensation as successor to the late Judge O'Sullivan, the salary going to the latter's widow.

County Judge Charles J. McDermott of Kings, who resigned yesterday, will resume the practice of law, one of his principal prospective clients being the Morse Dry Dock and Repair Company of Brooklyn. Governor Smith, it is expected, will appoint his successor within a day or two.

AUTOMATIC SIGNALS IN NEW 'PHONE BOOKS

Company Explains Use of Instruments to Be Installed 'Some Time Next Summer.'

The telephone directory, which librarians report as having more calls than even the Bible, came out yesterday chokeful of changes—the names all in bold, black type—and, in readiness for the coming "some time next Summer" of the automatic phones, the first three letters of the various exchanges are produced in black capital letters.

This change is because when the automatic is installed in your office or home you'll have to stick a finger in the little dial that's on it and turn the disc around to each of the first three letters of the exchange your number is in. For instance, you'll want a number in Cathedral—"C A T" you spell out, Barclay will be reproduced "B A R," Stuyvesant becomes "S T U," Hamilton "H A M," Drydock "D R Y" and Bryant "B R Y."

"Another peculiarity in the new directory," announced the New York Telephone Company, "which you probably will not notice at first glance, is that every line number which was formerly composed of less than four digits, that is every number formerly below 1000, has been built up to contain four digits by prefixing zeros. For example, the number 78 now is 0078, and should be pronounced 'oh, oh, seven, eight' when you ask for it."

"As long as you continue to use the present manual type of telephone instrument," the company also says, "such as you now have, you should pay no particular attention to the new style of printing the central office names. The fact that the first three letters of a central office designation are capitalized does not make any difference in the pronunciation of the central office name. These letters are made to stand out from the rest of the word for the convenience of the machine switching subscribers. In giving a number to the operator you will continue to pronounce the central office name in full as you do now, and give her the number, including the initial zeros if there are any. And be sure to pronounce the zero as 'oh' just as at present. Never say 'Zero.'"

The company further says that when the automatics go into use, individual instruction will be given to subscribers.

SHOWS PHONE COST GROWS.

Expert's Evidence Puts Year's Rise at More Than a Million.

H. A. Trax, an expert accountant employed by the New York Telephone Company, testified yesterday before the up-State Public Service Commission, at a hearing on the company's application for permission to increase its rates, that the cost of maintaining the telephone system in this city increased from $3,086,092 in 1916 to $4,680,689 in 1919. One financial statement submitted showed that the company had spent $39,421 in its efforts to procure this permission. This, it was added, did not include the cost of cards and circulars sent to customers, and of other methods adopted to create public sentiment. Figures submitted at a previous hearing disclosed that the total amount spent by the company for this purpose was $260,000.

G. W. Whittemore, the company's valuation engineer, testified that the needs of the company for 1921 would entail an expenditure of about $33,000,000 and that this was imperative if the company was to meet the requirements of the public. If $33,000,000 was spent, Mr. Whittemore said, 100,000 additional stations could be provided, or a total of 985,000 in the city. Even that number, he said, would not return the system entirely to normal.

The hearing will be continued on Jan. 7.

DENIES MADDEN'S CHARGE.

Head of Wool Growers Asserts Tariff Won't Double Clothes Cost.

SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, Dec. 27.—J. R. Marshall, Secretary of the National Wool Growers' Association, issued a statement today branding as "very misleading" an assertion attributed to Congressman Madden of Illinois to the effect that the duty proposed on wool in the Fordney Emergency Tariff bill would double the price of clothing. Mr. Marshall said:

"Such a statement is both ridiculous and dangerous. If uncorrected it would constitute a serious misrepresentation of the work and objects of the Ways and Means Committee and both houses of Congress.

"The National Wool Growers' Association has repeatedly pointed out that but little connection exists between the market price of wool and the selling price of clothes. Three and one-quarter pounds of scoured wool are required for an average-sized man's suit made from worsted cloth. The Fordney bill provides a duty of 45 cents per pound on scoured wool. The duty on the wool entering into a suit would amount to $1.58, which is very far from 100 per cent. of the price of any suit such as Mr. Madden refers to."

Gas Consolidation to Get Hearing.

Hearings on an application by the Consolidated Gas Company for permission to acquire 75 per cent. of the stock of the Bronx Gas and Electric Company will begin before the Public Service Commission on Thursday. In September the Bronx Supreme Court enjoined the company from increasing its rates from $1.50 to $1.75 per thousand.

LATEST DEALINGS IN THE REALTY FIELD

Hotel Owner Buys Madison Avenue Corner to Protect Adjacent Property.

WAS VALUED AT $340,000

Woman Investor Buys on Heights—Operator Sells Five Bronx Flats Held at $220,000.

Apartment houses were the feature of what little trading there was in the real estate market yesterday. Several large deals are reported pending in the midtown loft section, involving well over a million dollars, but it is not expected that final papers will be signed until after the first of the year.

One of the most important of yesterday's transactions was the purchase by Louis C. Raegner, President of the Roy Realty Company, of the eight-story apartment house, on a plot 74.1 by 95, at the northwest corner of Madison Avenue and Twenty-eighth Street, for $340,000. The sellers were the Eighty Madison Avenue Corporation.

Mr. Raegner now owns the entire block front on Madison Avenue from Twenty-eighth to Twenty-ninth Street, including the Seville Hotel at the southwest corner of Madison Avenue and Twenty-eighth Street. He bought the corner parcel to protect the air and light of the hotel. Charles M. Baldwin was the broker.

Woman Investor Buys Morningside Heights Apartment.

In the Morningside Heights section, Rose Berry purchased for investment from the Kimmelman Leasing Corporation, Charles Kimmelman, President, 540 and 542 West 112th Street, near Broadway, a six-story elevator apartment house, 50 by 100, adjoining the Devonshire Apartments at the southeast corner of Broadway, for $185,000. This transaction involved all cash above the first mortgage.

Realty Corporation in $75,000 Deal.

Further north on Washington Heights the Harle Realty Corporation purchased from Henry Lang and others, through Jules Nehring, Inc., the five-story new-law apartment house, on plot 50 by 100, at 479 West 152d Street. The property shows an annual rent roll of $11,000 and was held at $75,000. James E. Barry and Harry Levy were associated as brokers.

$220,000 Purchase by Bronx Investor.

Daniel H. Jackson, operator, sold to an investing client of Jacques Pollaeschek the four five-story new law apartment houses located at the northwest corner of 179th Street and Southern Boulevard, known as 817, 821, 825 East 179th Street and 2,039 Southern Boulevard. The houses rent for $32,000 annually and were held at $220,000. The property has been transferred to Hyman Kaufman.

The Fair Return Realty Corporation sold to Elwood Banfield the Milford, a seven-story elevator apartment house at 211 West 101st Street, on a plot 54.9 by 100.11, between Broadway and Amsterdam Avenue.

PRIVATE DWELLING BUYERS.

Small Houses Available for Immediate Occupancy in Good Demand.

Schindler & Liebler sold for George J. Vogt the dwelling 215 East Seventy-eighth Street, to a client for occupancy.

Max Oberstein sold to Joseph Coloras 30 West 114th Street, a three-story dwelling, 18.10 by 100.11.

Daniel M. Bedell, as executor, sold to Frank J. Gearon the three-story dwelling, 19 by 76, at 1,985 Madison Avenue.

Foot & Martin, Inc., bought the residence at 74 East Seventy-ninth Street from A. L. Bernheim.

The three-story dwelling, 18 by 100.11, at 71 West 119th Street has been sold by Jennie Steinman to Cerline Bertuch for $14,000.

Fred J. Rulman resold for Charles Weisel 158 West 120th Street, a three-story and basement dwelling, 20 by 100. The seller recently bought the house through the same broker.

Suburban Trading.

The Robert E. Farley Organization sold for C. B. Fish three plots on Chatterton Parkway, facing the Bronx Parkway Reservation, to Norman Whitelaw and George T. Barnes, associated with the American Radiator Company, who plan to erect dwellings.

The Lewis H. May Company resold for the F. S. R. Realty Company the two-story stucco dwelling at 326 Dickerson Avenue, Edgemere, to Delia I. Donihee, for occupancy.

Mrs. Julia E. James sold to Mrs. Catherine Wagner a ten-room residence occupying a large plot of ground at the corner of Union Street and Elm Street, Montclair, held at $9,900. The sale was negotiated through the Simpson Merritt Company.

S. S. Walstrum-Gordon & Forman sold at Ridgewood, N. J., for Mrs. Ida M. Sprague, 288 Prospect Street, to McLain T. Robertson of Creskill, N. J., and for the Minwix Company, 39 North Pleasant Avenue, to C. H. Hand of Manhattan; also for M. T. Ruane a residential lot on Heights Terrace to David Marshall.

Mrs. Catharine Carroll of Manhattan has purchased the Walton Lake Inn at Monroe, Orange County, N. Y., near Tuxedo Park, from Terence K. Lynch.

Brooklyn Sales.

Louis H. Kaplan purchased from Captain Frank in a cash transaction for about $300,000, the building known as Frank's Garage, covering the block bounded by Eastern Parkway, St. John's Place, Howard and Ralph Avenues, contains approximately 35,000 square feet on one floor. The building was completed only a few months ago.

The F. C. Sauter Agency sold the two-story brick dwelling, 215 Eighteenth Street, for Joseph Jesperson to Katie Doyle.

William E. Kernahan has purchased from the Realty Associates the new two-story dweling at 6,818 Sixth Avenue, between Sixty-eighth Street and Bay Ridge Avenue, being one of forty new houses recently completed.

The Bronx Market.

The church located at 921 Eagle Av., formerly occupied by the Seventh Day Adventists, has been sold by Jerome H. Frank, as broker to a Baptist congregation under the leadership of the Rev. L. John.

Henry S. Kirchner and the Sherman Brokerage Company sold for the Stellmarie Realty Company the five and a half-story apartment house, on plot 40 by 105, at 71 and 73 Post Avenue to an investor.

The two-family dwelling, 952 Forest Av., has been sold by Jerome H. Frank, as broker, to Mary Boddie for investment.

Girl Scouts Acquire Camp Site.

The fifty-acre Kinderogen Adirondack camp site, owned by the Briarcliff Realty Company, has been acquired as the national headquarters of the Girl Scouts of America. It includes several farmhouses and a lake. Kenneth Ives & Co. were the brokers.

SPAIN'S TRADE INJURED.

Prolongation of Tariff War With France Worries Commercial Interests

MADRID, Dec. 27.—The tariff war between Spain and France is occupying the attention of commercial interests here, as it is causing considerable prejudice to trade, not only that of the two countries concerned, but also of other nations. The negotiations, which have been in progress for some time, show France and Spain at present displaying a firm attitude, the former refusing to reduce the duties on Spanish wines unless the latter consents to abolish the increased duties recently imposed on more than one hundred articles coming from France. This Spain hesitates to do, as the reduction would also have to be granted to the other nations entitled to consideration under the most-favored nation clause.

The question of the Spanish credit loan to France is also involved in the discussions. Spain has made demands for repayment of the credit loan, which France finds herself unable to comply with immediately.

Business Property Deals.

The P. J. Carlin Construction Company sold to the New York Municipal Railway 260 and 263 West Street, southeast corner of Vestry Street, subject to a mortgage of $160,000. The property consists of a nine-story building, having a frontage of 75.1 feet on West Street and 101 feet on Vestry Street.

The Cruikshank Company sold for the Timpson Trust to a client of Pease & Elliman 136 and 138 Beekman Street, two small four-story buildings on a plot 37 by 25.

Henry Trenkmann sold the property at 85 East Tenth Street to Berringburg & Co.

Wilna Lees sold to Louis Hirschfeld 449 Sixth Avenue, northwest corner of Twenty-seventh Street, a four-story building on a lot 23.5 by 60.

$1,000,000 Brooklyn Lease.

Frederick Brown has leased, through Harvey B. Newins and Robert J. Coverdale, the premises at 468 and 470 Fulton Street, Brooklyn, now occupied by Healy's jewelry store, for a term of twenty-five years from Jan. 1, 1921, at an aggregate rental of approximately $1,000,000.

The property has forty feet frontage on Fulton Street and is a six-story fireproof building.

It is one of the largest transactions closed in Brooklyn this year.

Commercial Leases.

Anne F. Emmet and Ellen J. Morris leased to the 16-18 East Thirtieth Street Corporation for twenty-one years the two five-story buildings at 16 and 18 East Thirtieth Street, at rentals ranging from $5,000 to $6,000 per annum.

F. L. S. Buffet Lunch leased from Madison Grant and others the two five-story buildings at 20 and 22 East Twentieth Street, for twenty-one years at rentals ranging from $10,000 to $12,000 per annum. The tenant will make alterations costing about $35,000.

Recent Buyers.

The Carneval Realty Corporation (F. and J. Carneval and A. J. Blanka) is the buyer of the building at the southwest corner of Greenwich and Murray Streets.

Georgia W. Jones is the buyer of the building at 113 Waverly Place.

Arthur A. Ballantine is the buyer of the dwelling at 133 East Sixty-fifth Street.

Frederick E. Haight is the buyer of the dwelling at 64 East Fifty-fourth Street.

The Union Dime Loans $440,000.

The Union Dime Savings Bank has loaned to the 67 West Fifty-second Street Corporation $250,000 on the four houses at 61 and 67 West Fifty-second Street, recently transferred by Colonel Arthur F. Schermerhorn to his holding company. The same bank has also loaned to the Herald Square Holding Company (George Backer and Arnstein & Levy) $190,000 on the former Barney residence at the northeast corner of Park Avenue and Thirty-eighth Street.

BUSINESS RECORDS

In Town.

M. SIDENSTOCK & SONS—A petition in bankruptcy has been filed against Max, Nathan and Benjamin Sidenstock, co-partners, trading as M. Sidenstock & Sons, oil dealers, at 394 Broome Street, by these creditors: Nathan Mogel, $250; Harry Tropp, $271 and Joseph Eisenberg, $200.

FLOOD'S, INCORPORATED—A petition in bankruptcy has been filed against Flood's, Incorporated, women's garments, at 272-274 Sixth Avenue, by these creditors: Joseph Kaplan, $811; Max Kaminsky, $999, and Frieda V. Goldstein, $421. An assignment was also made to Eugene O'Sullivan. The company was incorporated in 1918 and Bernard Noonen is its President.

THE FAIR—A petition in bankruptcy has been filed against Fannie and Annie Ichelson, trading as The Fair, retail dry goods and shoes, at 7,294 Southern Boulevard, by these creditors: Belle Siegel, $1,939, and L. Zahn, $2,010. Judge Knox has appointed Joseph M. McKee and Maurice M. Leavitt receivers, in joint bond of $5,000. It is stated that the liabilities are about $20,000 and the assets about $10,000.

ECONOMY DISTRIBUTION COMPANY—Judge Knox has appointed Robert P. Stephenson receiver, in $3,000 bond, for Economy Distribution Company, retail odd lots of merchandise. It is stated that the only assets are merchandise worth less than $5,000 in store on Twenty-eighth Street.

SARTORIAL ART CLOTHES COMPANY, INC.—Judge Knox has appointed Henry H. Kaufman receiver, in $10,000 bond, for Sartorial Art Clothes Company, Inc., manufacturer of clothing, at 693 Broadway.

HARRY GOODMAN—Judge Knox has appointed Henry H. Kaufman receiver, in $10,000 bond, for Harry Goodman, manufacturer of cloaks, at 715 Broadway and shop for manufacturing at 125 Bowery. It is stated that Goodman is the sole stockholder of Sartorial Art Clothes Company, Inc.; that the two businesses are closely intermingled and for that reason it is deemed advisable for the same receiver to administer both businesses. It is alleged, too, that at a meeting of creditors they were informed that the liabilities of the two businesses aggregate about $300,000 with total assets of about $150,000.

P. JAFFE & SON, furs, at 291 Seventh Avenue, have filed schedules in bankruptcy, with liabilities of $120,254, of which $61,563 is a secured claim, and assets of $6,470, represented by stock, $5,000; accounts, $645, and money in bank, $325. Funsten Brothers are the secured creditors.

HABER TOY CO., INC., at 25 East Seventeenth Street, has filed schedules in bankrutcy, with liabilities of $30,605 and assets of $11,800, consisting of stock, $5,500; automobiles, $600; fixtures, &c., $300; accounts, $4,000, and deposits in banks, $1,400. The Lincoln Trust Company is a secured creditor for $9,200.

PHILIP WOLFISH, woolens, at 86 Hester Street, has filed schedules in bankrutpcy, with liabilities of $58,010 and assets given as unknown. Among the creditors are: Levy & Goodman, $1,689; Flaxman & Elbaum, $1,473, and Jacob D. Halperin & Co., $1,915.

UNIVERSAL BAKING CO., at 157 East Twenty-fifth Street, has filed schedules in bankrutpcy, with liabilities of $15,042 and assets of $11,971, consisting of stock, $1,290; automobiles, $4,635; machinery, &c., $3,714; furniture and fixtures, $2,293, and deposit in bank, $37. Among the creditors are: Jaburg Bros., $2,088; Wood & Selick, $2,270, and I. Aron Co., $1,827.

FRANKEL & WINKLER, dry goods, &c., at 1,102 Southern Boulevard, have filed schedules in bankruptcy, with liabilities of $4,648 and assets of $3,025, main items of which are stock, $2,500, and machinery and fixtures, $500.

BROADWAY WAIST CO.—Max Elmer and William Mentlik, trading as the Broadway Waist Co., at 212 Fifth Avenue, have filed schedules in bankrutpcy, with liabilities of $71,471 and assets of $4,291, in accounts due and $3,294 in unliquidated claims. Other assets are given as unknown. Benno Levison is a secured creditor for $23,991. Among those unsecured are: Pacific Bank, $8,250, and Royal Indemnity Co., $2,815.

BERNARD HERMAN, dresses, at 13 West Thirty-first Street, has filed schedules in bankruptcy, with liabilities of $16,203 and assets of $12,383, main items of which are stock, $3,500; accounts, $5,048, and machinery, &c., $1,600. Samuel Boiter holds a chattel mortgage for $1,000 covering machines.

S. SACHS COMPANY—Judge Knox has confirmed a composition of creditors with Solomon Sachs, trading as S. Sachs Company, embroideries, &c., at 87 Greene Street, on a basis of 22½ cents on the dollar—10 cents in cash and balance in three notes. Liabilities are $102,949.

RELIANCE SILK MILLS—Judge Knox has confirmed a composition of creditors with Samuel and Joseph Markheim, trading as Reliance Silk Mills, at Park Avenue and Thirty-second Street, on a basis of 20 cents on the dollar—15 cents in cash and 5 cents in notes.

WILLIAM F. DAVIS MACHINE TOOL CO., INC.—Judge Knox has confirmed a composition of creditors with William F. Davis Machine Tool Co., Inc., at 149 Broadway, on a basis of 5 cents on the dollar in cash.

DISCHARGES FROM BANKRUPTCY—Judge Knox has granted discharges from bankruptcy to the following named: Samuel Siskind, designer, 558 West 142d Street; Abraham Gelburg, salesman, 25 East 110th Street; Charles Singer, Werner & Gerathy and Jacob Bierman, waists, 1,175 Broadway.

WEISS MOTOR SALES CORP., dealer in automobiles, at 1,893 Broadway, has assigned to Joseph Cohen. Henry Weiss is President of the company.

SAM DANUE, retail shoes, at 62 East 103d Street, has assigned to Arnold Gross.

FRANK MATTUCCI, wholesale and retail druggist, at 2,095 Second Avenue, has assigned to Sam Levy.

SAMUEL POLANSKY, children's wearing apparel, at 282 Grand Street, has assigned to Jacob W. Block.

THE FIRST AMERICAN POULTRY CORP.—A petition in bankruptcy has been filed by the First American Poultry Corp., 296 Sackman Street, Brooklyn, with liabilities of $16,106.94 and assets of $6,305.53.

LAZANSKY BROS.—A petition in bankruptcy has been filed against Louis and Henry Lazansky, individually and as copartners trading as Lazansky Bros., retail shoe merchants, 526 Boulevard, Queens Co., by Louis T. Most for $965.10; Mi-Lady Shoe Co., $177, and Charles Most, $16.96.

MORRIS ABRAMOWITZ.—A petition in bankruptcy has been filed against Morris Abramowitz, retail shoe dealer, 215 Rochester Av., Brooklyn, by Merritt Elliott for $317; A. S. Knider Co., $700, and Posner & Brown, $150.

I. SAUER & SONS—A petition in bankruptcy has been filed against Isidor Sauer, Samuel Sauer, Maurice Sauer, Jacob Abrahams and Norbet Miller, individually and as co-partners, doing business as I. Sauer & Sons, 1,690 Pitkin Av., Brooklyn, by Max C. Weller for $496.50; Harry Schachter, $100, and Louis Horowitz, $800.

EDITH BAGLEY AND HOUSTON OVERSTREET.—A petition in bankruptcy has been filed by Edith Bagley and Houston Overstreet, doing a hotel business at 21 Main St., Hempstead, L. I., with liabilities of $2,320.10 and assets of $769.

LEO GONDECK.—A petition in bankruptcy has been filed by Leo Gondeck, 1,100 Bay St., S. I., with liabilities of $2,318.90 and assets of $204.

SILVER CROWN GLOVE CO.—A petition in bankruptcy has been filed against Caroline Krouse, trading as the Silver Crown Glove Co., and also known as Madame Krouse, wholesale and retail leather business, 1,085 Broadway, Brooklyn, by Samuel Steinberg, $1,000; Jack Levy, $500, and Julia Albino, $120.

HYMAN SUMBERG—A petition in bankruptcy has been filed against Hyman Sumberg, dry goods and furnishings, 244 5th Av., Brooklyn, by H. Goldstein, $610; Martin Liebschutz, $76, and L. Rosen, $108.

BENJAMIN OSTROY—A petition in bankruptcy has been filed against Benjamin Ostroy, retail gents' furnishings, 795 Fulton St., Brooklyn, by B. Siegel, $1,000; L. Zahn, $400, and J. Frunarch, $100.

SAMUEL HOCHMAN—A petition in bankruptcy has been filed by Samuel Hochman, 545 Quincy St., Brooklyn, with liabilities of $7,100.04 and assets of $2,003.

THE GEM TRADE GOODS SHOP—A petition in bankruptcy has been filed by Meyer E. Gorin, 383 Steinway Av., Long Island City, with liabilities of $5,637.65 and assets of $1,125.

JUDGMENTS.

Filed yesterday, the first name being that of the debtor:

In New York County.

American Railway Express Co.—C. Esposito	$342.91
Bradley, John P.—J. Plunket et al.	149.88
Berkowitz, Harry—F. Thau	162.15
Bendix, Oscar L.—Central R. R. of N. J., costs	108.85
Brennan, Martin J.—E. L. Ball	330.20
Belcher, Harry—C. Turginson	164.70
Crippen Record File Corp.—Edward Lyman Bill, Inc	218.22
Curci, Luigi—H. Sammet	540.20
Child, Frank W—Howard R. Ware Corp.	348.70
Cappa, Thomas, and New Amsterdam Casutlay Co.People, &c	1,500.00
Cottle, Shubael—J. Stewart	1,190.00
Driscoll, Cleora (Hat Shop)—Jas. G. Johnson & Co., Inc	609.00
Dreyfus, Jacob—Pacific Bank	420.52
De Motte, Philip G. J.—Wing & Russell	376.35
Ellison, Rubin—W. K. Ellison et al.	656.86
Ettora Hilding Corp., Inc.—M. Donovan	446.10
French, Bernard—A. Rusch et al.	219.16
Fishman, Gabe, and Goodman Goldstein (F. & G. Clothing Co.)—Cairo Mills, Inc.	409.04
Fishbein, Adolph and Louis—Marnet Kam Fur Dyeing Co., Inc	624.34
Gittelson, David—State Mercantile Co.	216.60
Garelich, Benjamin, and Harry Sirotta—New Netherland Bank of N. Y.	782.20
Harry Hindlemann, Inc.—L. Brinn et al.	7,657.95
Henderson & Finch, Inc.—E. E. Hartzell	490.63
Same—Same	621.42
Haas, Otto, and Helga Feek—Bernheim & Schwartz, Pilsener Brewing Co.	6,980.30
Hollander, Max—Wallach & Behrend Co.	233.73
John Wilfert Co.—S. Whitaker	20,817.38
Kowalski, Mary—S. A. Jacobson Co., Inc.	393.14
Karge, Eugene—M. Levides	142.06
Knapp, Edwin W.—Motor Haulage Co., Inc.	831.17
Kresge, John H., Wm. A. Mears and Kusage & Co., Inc.—Andrew Cone General Advertising Agency	1,350.21
Same—Same	1,350.21
Kobelin, Abraham L.—O. Markowitz	371.30
Klein, Barnet—S. Tucker et al.	364.56
Lynch, Patrick J.—Bayonne Bolt & Nut Co.	2,104.95
Levy, Charles (Mahattan Auto Exchange)—M. Bein	318.06
Levy, Benjamin—S. Siegel et al.	484.75
L. K. Sales Co., Inc., and Leo Kaplitz—E. E. Colen	368.45
Lindsay, Alfred E.—H. C. Fleming	524.35
Model Examining & Shrinking Co., Inc.—State Trust Co.	1,369.09
Macrea, Stanley C.—W. Prokocimer	1,026.30
Marvin, Edw M.; Maxwell D. Marvin and Charles Cohen (Marvin Bros. & Cohen)—I. Liberman et al	467.83
Newkiek, Chas. A.—S. Glantz	207.77
O'Hagen, Stephen, and National Surety Co.—People, &c.	1,000.00
Post, Truman W.—D. Barbour	179.17
Paragon Sales Corp.—L. Ravazula	14,928.11
Partridge, Frank J.—G. Partridge	470.75
Reynolds, Bruce—S. Weissman	645.20
Ruggles, Philo B.—Dodd, Mead & Co., Inc.	100.45
Rosenzweig, Morris—B. Weingold	3,146.70
Reynolds, Florence, and Junius Green—People, &c.	500.00
Renwick, Henry B.—H. H. Renwick	2,128.58
Serber, Chas. A.—Leightons, Inc.	240.20
Sinkowitz, William—J. Frank et al.	151.08
Snyder, Edward—Nat'l Surety Co.	1,094.08
Steinfeld, Harry and Frank L. Main—Fidelity and Deposit Co. of Md.	3,017.09
Schnatz, Geo. J. and Louisa—B. Schnatz (costs)	171.83
Schiffer, Anton—M. Zender	834.41
Tepper, Murray—H. Feinglass	169.43
Tobe, Geo. M.—H. Weissman et al.	110.40
Vahan, Ardash—I. W. Eisen	134.58
Wasserman, Max and Fidelity and Casualty Co. of N. Y.—People, &c.	500.00
Weiss, Louis—M. Pelkisson	507.65
Walther, Herman H.—L. Ritter	267.45
Wilcox, Norris and Anna—Oppenheim, Collins & Co.	220.48
Wilner-Romberg Corp.—M. Goldwater	190.05
Wolfson, Harry, and Joseph Garelick—New Netherland Bank of N. Y.	390.20
Weiss, Jacob, Benjamin Weiss and Louis Sacks (Weiss Bros. & Sacks)—United Box Tool Co.	116.90

In Bronx County.

Factory Building Corp., R. S. Howard Co., Robert S. Howard and Louis Gold—Irving National Bank	$5,175.50
Goldberg, Abraham J.—N. Y. Telephone Co.	31.96
Gritz, Stanley—M. Guterman et al.	134.62
Kreilberg, Sherman S.—Barreto Garage, Inc.	127.70
Moses, Furniture Exchange—U. S. Cabinet Bed Co.	188.15
Timeny, James A.—S. Austrian	112.92
Weiss, Joseph—M. Rodriquez	66.85

SATISFIED JUDGMENTS.

The first name is that of the debtor, the second that of the creditor and date when judgment was filed.

In New York County.

Rushmeyer, William and Anna—M. W. Cready, Nov. 18, 1919	$1,635.70
Noschkes, Sigmund, and Harry Grossbard—Peteris, Buhler & Co., Inc., Nov. 17, 1920	2,463.20
Hughes, Elizabeth L.—S. E. Techt et al., July 9, 1919	129.55
Cunniffe, Frank D.—F. C. Sunderlin, June 11, 1918	117.58
Hughes, Elizabeth L.—S. E. Techt et al., June 19, 1920	206.52
Hochman, Solomon, Julius Hochman and Philip Goldfarb—M. Alster, May 6, 1912	113.45
Elder, John C.—Encyclopaedia Britannica, June 26, 1919	237.40
Strauch, Abraham—Same, July 3 1920	156.05
Cockson Clarence F.—Montgomery & Co., Oct. 17, 1918 (released)	750.00
Brennan, Raymond, and Maryland Casualty Co.—People, &c., Sept. 28, 1920 (vacated)	1,500.00
Same—Same April 7, 1920 (vacated)	1,500.00
Jenofsky, Herman—Wool Novelty Co. Inc., Feb. 5, 1919	433.23

In Bronx County.

Scopas, Stelianes & Athanasia—New Amsterdam Casualty Co., April 15, 1919	$1,000
Techt, Sarah E.—Emigrant Industrial Savings Bank, Sept. [illegible], 1920	3,197.08
Weingarten, Max and Max Kornberg—N. Y. Carved Moulding Co. Inc., Feb. 18, 1918	139.15

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84TH ST.—On West End; 5 rooms, 2 baths, all outside; new building. Columbus 1278.

84TH ST. WEST—Handsomely furnished two room suite; electricity; $25. Schuyler 5524.

85TH, 332 WEST—Newly furnished four or five rooms, bath, shower, in modern building; near Drive. Apt. 6.

85TH, 204 WEST—Third apartment, a suite of 3 front rooms, furnished, $25 weekly.

85TH, 333 WEST—Furnished apartment and rooms, with or without board.

88TH ST., 160 WEST—Refined family would rent large furnished room and bath; steam heat; newly renovated; private house; gentleman only. Tel. Schuyler 6320.

88TH—Seven rooms, two baths; handsomely furnished; $225. Elberson, 25 West 42d St.

90TH, 60 WEST—Studio apartment, two rooms, bath, kitchenette; rent temporarily. Agniel.

90'S—Apartment, 6 rooms, bath; piano; $165. Elberson, 25 West 42d.

91ST, 20 WEST—Sale of rent, beautifully furnished 2-room apartment. Laurence.

94TH ST., 2 WEST (corner Central Park West)—Christian family offer bright, comfortably furnished front suite, living room, bedroom (twin beds) with bath, large closets; two gentlemen or business couple. Apartment 5 North, Jordan. Phone for appointment Riverside 1162.

97TH (West End Av.)—Two large rooms, kitchenette, steam heat, parquet floors, attractively furnished; $200 month. Riverside 10071.

103D, 206 WEST—Three rooms, use kitchen, telephone, steam heat, bath; rent $85; married people preferred. Snoeck.

105TH, 320 WEST—High-class two-room apartment beautifully and completely furnished, for light housekeeping. Inquire Janitor.

109TH, 107 WEST—2 and 3 rooms; high-class; $75 up; weekly rates during holidays. Telephone Academy 1611.

110TH, 509 WEST—SUMPTUOUS HOME; SIX BEAUTIFUL ROOMS, EVERYTHING NEW; FRONT; SOUTH; $300. 5B.

111TH ST., 506 WEST—4 rooms, handsomely and completely furnished; $150 monthly; unusual value. Phone Cathedral 6338, Apt. 65, or call after 12 o'clock.

113TH, 530 WEST—5 rooms, complete housekeeping apartment; 9 windows facing south; exceptionally spacious rooms; refined elegance displayed in furnishings; most unusual home; 9 months' lease; 2-room light housekeeping apartment to sublease until Sept. Phone Resident Manager, Cathedral 7380.

114TH, 514 WEST—To October, 5 rooms, fronting Columbia campus; complete silver, linen; $150. Kline, evenings.

115TH, 357 WEST—Three beautiful rooms, complete for housekeeping; player piano, Victrola; $125; lease; references. Hansen, Cathedral 6140.

116TH—FIVE ROOMS, BATH; $200.
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118TH, 210 WEST (HOTEL CECIL) — ATTRACTIVE 1-2 ROOM APARTMENTS, WITH, WITHOUT BATH; SPECIAL WEEKLY RATES; FULL HOTEL SERVICE.

118TH, 418 WEST—Living room, dining room, bedroom, kitchen, completely furnished, $80. Morningside 6656.

119TH, 435 WEST (Opposite Columbia)—Two rooms, kitchenette, 10th floor; immediate. 10G.

121ST, 420 WEST, Apartment 63—Seven-room furnished apartment opposite Columbia University, for sale; income about $300 a month; rent $150; long lease. Inquire 420 West 121st St., Apt. 63.

124TH, 557 WEST (Broadway)—Large, handsome suite, kitchen; southern exposure; parquet floors; piano; $25; elevator, telephone. Apt. 42.

140S (Near Drive)—Five rooms, bath; handsomely furnished; $125. Elberson, 25 West 42d.

145TH (676 Riverside Drive)—4 attractive rooms, $150; Sept. 15. Apartment 6B.

146TH, 606 WEST—Floor, owner's residence, 3 rooms, bath, kitchenette, $125; adults.

149TH, 544 WEST—Exceptionally large parlor, bedroom and kitchenette, well furnished, $17.

158TH, WEST—Beautifully furnished three rooms; references; $85. Wadsworth 6047.

176TH, WEST—3 room apartment, bath and real kitchen, handsomely furnished; elevator building; hall service; rent $80; two years' lease; must leave city; will sell very reasonable. E 90 Times.

177TH, 508 WEST (Apt. 59)—Furnished apartment, two rooms, bath, kitchenette, elevator.

181ST, 875 WEST—Jan. 1, 4 months, modern 4-room, elevator apartment, furnished in brown mahogany throughout; twin beds, fireless cooker, &c.; reasonable. Tel. Wadsworth 9300, Superintendent.

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CENTRAL PARK WEST 385—8 large, light rooms, magnificently furnished, newly decorated; beautiful view; elevator; immediate possession; $275.

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LADY shares apartment with lady; $9. 145th St. subway. A 1084 Times Harlem.

MODERN HOUSE, well furnished, river side, near Broadway station, 10 rooms, 2 baths; garden; 6 months or one year; $650 monthly. E 78 Times.

RIVERSIDE DRIVE, 87TH—Young woman teacher share her handsome two-room apartment with congenial young lady. Schuyler 3032.

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APARTMENTS TO LET.

Furnished—West Side.

THE BELNORD, 86th and Broadway (Apt. 307)—Seven rooms, 2 baths, completely furnished; maid; $600 month for nine months or less.

TWO ROOMS and bath; southern exposure; rent reasonable. Apartment 411, Hotel Berkley, 74th St. and Amsterdam Av.

TWO rooms, kitchenette, furnished with piano; central city; reasonable. E 111 Times.

TWO rooms, bath, $200 monthly; seen between 11-4. Telephone Madison Sq. 4666.

WEST END AV., 681—Completely furnished 2-room, bath, kitchenette apartment. Janitor.

Furnished—Bronx.

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Unfurnished—East Side.

19 EAST 9TH ST.
Entire floor, 4 rooms, bath, kitchen, $2,300.
AMES & COMPANY, 26 WEST 31ST ST.

30TH, 32 EAST (adjoining Hotel Martha Washington)—Beautiful, newly decorated apartments, high ceilings, splendid light; also two stores to rent. Apply to Manager Martha Washington Hotel.

53D, 39 EAST—Parlor floor and apartment above; 2, 3 and 4 rooms, all improvements; seen 10 until 4.

56TH, 114 EAST—Attractive 2-room, bath and kitchenette apartment; $1,400 years. Apply superintendent on premises.

57TH, 205 WEST (corner 7th Av.)
Corner apartment of nine rooms and three baths in the Osborne; fireproof building; large rooms, high ceilings; immediate possession; $400 per month. Manager, on premises. Circle 5420.

78TH ST., 42 EAST—Immediate, two rooms and bath, elevator and restaurant; $115 monthly. Naylor.

82D, 17 EAST (Near 5th Av.)—Attractive 2 large rooms, bath, foyer, fireplace; lease furnished or unfurnished; $130, lease; will redecorate; open for inspection. Phone Hanover 6895.

87TH, 56 EAST—Modern elevator apartment, 6 rooms; $2,000; Jan. 1.

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36TH ST., 163 EAST.
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Unfurnished—West Side.

10TH ST., 60-62 WEST—Four rooms and bath; elevator. Apply premises.

11TH ST., 45 WEST—Attractive, light, sunny 3-4 room apartments, including kitchen; southern exposure; modern appointments; inspection. Telephone Chelsea 4160.

28TH, 844 WEST—Attractive suites, 2 rooms, tiled baths, showers, parquet floors, electricity; residential block; references; $70-$75.

31ST ST., 19-21 WEST—Strictly high-class fireproof apartments of two rooms and bath; maid service optional; desirable tenants; rental $1,500 and $1,800.

37TH ST., 32 WEST—1, 2, 3 and 4 rooms, bath; for business people.

46TH ST., 28 WEST (Near 5th Av.)—Two rooms and bath, $90 per month; possession. Telephone Murray Hill 500.

46TH, 47 WEST—Two rooms, bath, kitchenette; one left; $1,080 year. Donovan.

48TH ST., 151 WEST.
Near Broadway; modern 2-room apartments, every improvement; ample heat and hot water; immediate possession; furnished or unfurnished; moderate rents.
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Two beautiful rooms, bath, kitchen; $100 month. 664 Madison Av. Plaza 9547.

49TH ST., 26 WEST—Elegant apartment, entire floor; three rooms, bath; improvements; $150 month; lease. Phone Bryant 7911.

50TH, 3 WEST—Two rooms, bath, kitchen, apartment; reasonable. Apply Superintendent.

52D, 40 WEST—Ground floor, one large room, dressing room, bath; private entrance from street; also entire second floor apartment, kitchen; newly decorated.

57TH—Apartment, 2 rooms, kitchenette, bath; bargain; $85. Elberson, 25 West 42d.

58TH, 200 WEST—Six-room attractive apartment of highest type. Apply Supt.

58TH, 138 W.—Attractive 7-room apartment; high-class building. Apply Superintendent.

69TH ST., 106 WEST.
2 rooms, bath and kitchenette in high-class apartment house; immediate possession; $1,800.
SHARP & CO., 2,489 BROADWAY.

69TH—Five rooms, bath; furniture, $600; rent $100. Elberson, 25 West 42d.

75TH, 240 WEST (Near Broadway)—New 9-story, fireproof building of 3 rooms for $2,000 and 4 rooms $2,800; fully housekeeping; very spacious and high class; immediate possession. Columbus 4454.

75TH, 140 WEST—Beautiful 3-room apartment; suitable for doctor. Apply premises.

77TH, 110 WEST—Two warm rooms, bath, dumbwaiter, kitchenette; $120; 1 flight.

79TH, 121 WEST—1, 2, 3 rooms, bath, kitchenette, every improvement; best in city; $900 to $1,650.

79TH (near Broadway)—Duplex, four rooms, kitchen, open fireplaces. Schuyler 7014.

81ST ST., 29 WEST—A BEAUTIFUL SUITE OF THREE ROOMS, BATH, AND FOUR ROOMS, BATH; MODERN, HIGH CLASS BUILDING; $150 MONTHLY.

83D, 25 WEST—Immediate possession, studio apartment, suitable for singing, music, physician; near Central Park; all modern improvements. Call Lenox 7488; $100, including electricity.

84TH, 31 WEST—Exceptionally large newly appointed three rooms, bath, kitchenette apartment; latest improvements; parlor floor; doctor, studio.

85TH ST. (West)—Three rooms, kitchenette, tiled bath, open fireplace; entire floor; artistic and attractive; rent $137. Columbus 3238.

85TH, 345 WEST—Beautiful, high class, 8-room, elevator apartment; immediate possession.

86TH ST., 331 WEST (80S)—A BEAUTIFUL SEVEN-ROOM AND TWO-BATH BUNGALOW, WITH GARAGE, IN THE HEART OF THE WEST SIDE RESIDENTIAL DISTRICT (80S), $350 MONTHLY; ALL CONVENIENCES. G. W. CAHEN.

86TH ST., 309 WEST—Two unfurnished rooms and bath in apartment hotel; for further particulars call at above address or telephone. Schuyler 8783.

87TH, 137 WEST—One, two, three rooms; separate or together; private residence.

90'S—Apartment, seven rooms, baths, $2,100 year. Elberson, 25 West 42d.

102D, 249 WEST—Choice four and five-room housekeeping apartments in private house; all conveniences; immediate occupancy.

103D, 205 WEST—5-room apartment on ground floor; suitable for physician. Apply Mr. Peckelis, Longacre 4144.

103D, 12 WEST—Three rooms and bath; modern improvements; $75; immediate occupancy.

106TH, 312 WEST—Entire floor in large private house; 2 immense rooms, dressing room, private bath; $140.

114TH, 351 WEST—Monterey Apartments; facing on 3 streets and 2 parks; 8-room apartments, all outside rooms; immediate possession. Supt. on premises or apply Howard C. Forbes, Rector 747.

156TH, 625 WEST—9 rooms, 3 baths, high-class apartment; immediate possession.

163D ST., 544 WEST—Five-room apartment; all latest improvements; $80.

180TH, 660-661 WEST (corner Broadway)—Elevator, immediate possession, for five, six, seven rooms and bath; one six rooms, corner; one seven rooms, southern exposure; high grade, superior service. Apply on premises or Jules Nehring, 4,249 Broadway.

187TH, 515 WEST—8-room modern elevator apartment to sublet.

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In the Prasada, 50 Central Park West; eight rooms and three baths, on twelfth floor; also two rooms, bath and roof garden on floor above, connected by private stairway. Horace S. Knowles, 50 Central Park West.

BROADWAY, 3,647 (150th St.)—High-class, fireproof building, Broadway apartment, 6 rooms. Apply on premises.

DOCTOR'S OFFICE.
Doctor's office, two rooms and bath. Hotel Beresford, Central Park West, 81st St.

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EXCEPTIONALLY WELL FURNISHED
9-room and 3-bath apartment, complete in every detail; finest location on Riverside Drive; wonderful view of Hudson River; possession to Sept. 15, 1921.
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$105 TO $200.
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APARTMENTS TO LET.

Unfurnished—West Side.

NATIONAL STORAGE, 146 West 90th St.—Storage $6 per month vanload, motor vans moving; moderate rates. 1702 Riverside.

RIVERSIDE DRIVE, 240—Two and three all outside front rooms, fireproof apartment hotel; wonderful view; reduced prices.

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RIVERSIDE, 151 (87th)—Magnificent floor; also one-room apartment; exceptional baths; lease.

RIVERSIDE DRIVE, 706 (148th St.)—Fireproof building; 6-room corner apartment; possession. Cortlandt 3661. Audubon 6804.

SEVEN ROOMS, beautiful light, elevator, steam heat; all improvements. Inquire Superintendent, 2 Pinehurst Av., Washington Heights.

UNTIL Oct. 1, 1921, unfurnished two-rooms and bath, Apt. 128 Spencer Arms, 69th and Broadway; immediate possession.

WASHINGTON PLACE, 125-127—Four rooms and bath; modern apartment.

WEST END AV., 567 (near 87th)—Attractive two large rooms, bath, kitchenette; private entrance; entire floor; fireplace, large closets; will redecorate; furnished or unfurnished; lease; $90. Phone Hanover 6895.

WEST END AV., 738—Six large outside corner rooms; all improvements; $150.

Unfurnished—Bronx.

SUMMIT AV., 900 (corner 161st St., West Bronx)—Southern exposure, facing park and river; five rooms; all improvements; $75; one block from subway, elevated and Central Railroad; references required.

UP-TO-DATE 4-room apartment, hardwood, parquet floor, shower; immediate possession; $75 monthly. Call Melrose 2714, between 2-3 P. M.

Unfurnished—Brooklyn.

FOUR large outside rooms, ample closets, exclusive use of kitchen, in high-class apartment centrally located, Bedford section, Brooklyn. Particulars write or phone Weeks, 106 West 92d, New York. Riverside 3989.

MONROE PLACE, 11 (Heights)—One-minute Clark St. Tube; two-room; bath; excellent service; sublet Jan. 1-Oct. 1; $50; phone; vacuum cleaning.

PRESIDENT ST., 1,514—Four rooms, bath; latest improvements. W. B. Israel.

STERLING PLACE, 189-191—Two and three rooms; all improvements; both subways.

55TH ST., 1,526, Brooklyn—Six-room apartment. Apply Mrs. M. E. Rosenberg.

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TO RENT—KEW GARDENS.
A most unusual opportunity to rent at a special price for Jan. 1, 1921 to Sept 30, 1921, a seven-room and three-bath apartment; southern exposure, all outside rooms, elevator service, large grounds. Edgeworth Smith, Inc., 1 West 34th St. Phone Fitzroy 5250 or at Kew Gardens Station, Phone Richmond Hill 1713.

Unfurnished—Long Island.

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Two splendid new elevator buildings; 165 small apartments; selections of 3 and 4-room suites, $1,320 per annum up; some with immediate occupancy. Apply "The Gardens Apt.," by station, or phone Boulevard 6545. Guyon L. C. Earle, Agent, 260 West 86th St., N. Y. Tel Schuyler 8399.

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Furnished.

WEST SIDE (from 70th-125th St.)—First-class furnished apartment; must have three large sunny bedrooms, one living room, kitchen, bath, all latest improvements; good neighborhood; write full particulars. Mr. Kanter, care Otto Wagner, 140 West 26th St.

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CULTURED Southern couple, no children, desire small furnished apartment; west side or Washington Square; excellent care return for reasonable rental. A 737 Times Downtown.

FURNISHED apartment wanted in Park Av. section, Jan. 15 to May 15; five or six rooms; rent $400 to $500. F. A., Box 372, City Hall Station.

SMALL furnished apartment wanted by couple, Jan. 1 to April 1; best care guaranteed; state rental. A 744 Times Downtown.

WELL-FURNISHED 5 or 6 rooms; small adult family; elevator; good neighborhood; immediate; moderate; references. D 246 Times.

TWO or three rooms and kitchen for business couple; immediate possession; good references; rent $50 or $60. Address A. B., 114 Times.

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TWO BEDROOMS, bath, dining room, kitchen; near Central Park; January to April; A1 references. Responsible. A 580 Times.

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Unfurnished.

FAMILY requires possession of unfurnished apartment Jan. 15; must contain four bedrooms and two baths, also maid's room and bath; three years lease. B 1019 Times Annex.

WANTED—A two or three room housekeeping apartment, furnished, in Far Rockaway, after Feb. 1; two ladies. Y 2409 Times Annex.

WANTED—By young couple, 3 or 4 room apartment, unfurnished, with improvements; up to $60; bonus. B. M., 56 W. 45th St., 18th floor, or telephone Intervale 1529.

LONG ISLAND—3-5 rooms, bath, housekeeping; young couple; permanent, immediate occupancy; references exchanged; $55. D 229 Times.

MODERN apt., 3 or 4 rooms, with bath, from 18th to 80th St., East or West; $50 or $55, with bonus.

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FURNISHED ROOMS.

East Side.

11TH ST., 10 EAST—Lage room, steam heated; gentlemen only.

30TH (cor. Lexington Av., 163)—Exclusively for women; $11 weekly and up; room with use of bath, $14 weekly up; room with private bath, $18 weekly and up; cozy, sunny, comfortable. Hotel Rutledge.

34TH, 126 EAST—Well furnished room, large closet, near bath; elevator; refined house; only those with first-class references considered; gentlemen only. 11 A. M. to 5 P. M. Mrs. Poole.

60TH, 18 EAST—Rooms, adjoining bath, $40-$50 month; also room, bath.

97TH (near 5th)—Newly decorated, warm, comfortable room; Christian family. Lenox 3164.

MADISON AV.—Private family will let 2 rooms, install kitchenette for desirable tenants; elevator apt. Phone 0673 Lenox.

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West Side.

16TH, 51 WEST—Artistic, old mahogany and chintz, immaculately clean, warm, continuous hot water, restaurant connected.

69TH, 14 WEST—HIGH-CLASS, LUXURIOUSLY FURNISHED LARGE FRONT ROOM; PRIVATE TILE BATH, LAVATORY; ELECTRICITY; TWIN BEDS; KITCHENETTE PRIVILEGES; WEEKLY OR MONTHLY; REASONABLE.

69TH, 143 WEST—Nicely furnished accommodations; 2 business gentlemen; second apartment; refinement.

69TH, 68 WEST—Neat, light room, telephone, electricity; refined residence; $10 weekly.

70TH, 135 WEST—Select accommodations, second floor front, two rooms, bath; other rooms, bath; single; lavatory; electricity; cleanliness.

70TH, 59 WEST—HANDSOMELY FURNISHED FRONT PARLOR, PRIVATE BATH; KITCHENETTE PRIVILEGE; $8.

70TH, 134 WEST—Desirable large front room, private bath; heat; suitable two or three; telephone; references.

70TH, 282 WEST—Large front, also connecting, with bath; reasonable.

70TH, 219 WEST—FRONT PARLOR; KITCHENETTE PRIVILEGE; $15.

71ST., 62 WEST—HANDSOME, DOUBLE ROOM, PRIVATE BATH; KITCHENETTE PRIVILEGE; $18.

FURNISHED ROOMS.

West Side.

71ST, 61 WEST—FRONT PARLOR, KITCHENETTE PRIVILEGE; $12.

73D, WEST—ATTRACTIVE SINGLE ROOM, $10; LARGE PRIVATE RESIDENCE. TELEPHONE COLUMBUS 658.

73D, 156 WEST—Handsomely furnished large front room; references.

73D, 130 WEST—Neatly furnished large room, dressing room, electricity; references; $8.

73D, 140 WEST—FRONT ROOM, KITCHENETTE PRIVILEGE; $12.

74TH, 3 WEST—LUXURIOUSLY FURNISHED DOUBLE ROOM, ADJOINING BATH; KITCHENETTE PRIVILEGE; REASONABLE.

74TH, 138 WEST—Large, sunny room, newly decorated and furnished, adjoining bath with shower, steam heat, electricity.

74TH, 25 WEST—Elegantly furnished single and large rooms, private baths. Wheeler.

74TH, 256 WEST—Nicely furnished rooms, twin beds, adjoining bath; all conveniences.

74TH, 159 WEST—EXCEPTIONALLY FURNISHED FRONT ROOM, REASONABLE.

74TH, 41 WEST—ATTRACTIVELY FURNISHED SINGLE ROOM; $6.

75TH, 327 WEST,
76TH, 305 WEST,
78TH, 134 WEST.
ATTRACTIVE LARGE AND SMALL ROOMS.

75TH, 155 WEST—Attractive, sunny room, bath, electricity, steam; no housekeeping.

75TH, 327 WEST—Attractive, large front room, steam heat; high-class house.

75TH, 127 WEST—Large, well furnished double room, dressing room.

75TH, 146 WEST—Large or small room. Telephone 7670 Columbus.

76TH, 237 WEST—Newly furnished, double dressing room, bath adjoining; electricity, phone.

76TH, 239 WEST—Newly furnished room, twin beds, private bath; $20; gentlemen.

75TH, 2 WEST—DOUBLE ROOM, KITCHENETTE PRIVILEGE; $10.

77TH, 112 WEST—Large, warm rooms; twin beds; electricity, phone; $16.

78TH, 329 WEST—Large room, adjoining bath, newly furnished; phone; single room.

79TH, 131 WEST—Large, handsomely furnished room, private bath; exceptional accommodation; reasonable.

83D, 310 WEST—Front room; twin beds; electricity; private house; references; gentlemen.

84TH, 15 WEST—Attractive front parlor, electricity, telephone; also another room. Palmer.

84TH, 38 WEST—Large, light room, modern conveniences; private family.

85TH, 203 WEST—Well furnished medium-sized room; modern conveniences; bath adjoining; breakfast optional; reference. Campbell.

85TH ST., 160 WEST—In private house, large, sunny room, adjoining bath, running water in alcove; references requested.

85TH, 253 WEST—Berkley Chambers, attractive double room, running water, adjoining bath.

86TH, 329 WEST—Magnificently furnished room, adjoining bath, $100 month. 6982 Schuyler.

86TH, 172 WEST—Small room, southern exposure; attractive basement room; kitchen privileges.

87TH (Riverside Drive)—Handsome room, teacher's apartment; congenial young woman. Schuyler 3632.

87TH ST.—Room with private bath, private family, high class. Phone Schuyler 2243.

88TH, 132 WEST—Desirable, medium, sunny room, conveniences; gentlemen; references.

89TH, 320 WEST—Large, cheerful room, with bath, kitchenette privileges.

89TH ST., 321 WEST—Large, comfortable room, running water; also studio parlor.

91ST, 50 WEST—Large sunny room, with alcove; southern exposure; adjoins bath.

92D, 61 WEST—Beautiful room; private house; private bath; electricity, telephone.

93D, 316 WEST—Two charming, connecting front rooms, elevator apartment; gentlemen or couple. Apt. 41.

93D, 120 WEST—Large front, well-furnished room, with bath, electric light, telephone.

94TH, near Drive—Business woman or nurse; kitchen privileges. Phone Riverside 3683.

95TH ST., 251 WEST—High-class large room, bath. Apartment 3N.

96TH, 231 WEST (Apt. 2C)—Lovely, homelike room, facing Broadway; running water; private family.

96TH, 36 WEST—Exceptionally comfortable room; every convenience.

97TH, 63 WEST—Large sunny second floor front room; private bath; $18.

102D, 247 WEST—Furnished rooms, with and without private bath; all improvements. Riverside 6343.

102D, 316 WEST (Riverside)—Spacious rooms; single, en suite; electricity; refined, private house.

103D, 306 WEST—Two adjoining rooms; steam, electricity, bath; strictly private family.

103D ST., 205 WEST—Attractive, cosy room, private entrance; every convenience; central. Silver.

103D, 302 WEST—Large, modern, front room with dressing room, electricity.

106TH, 238 WEST—Light room, bath adjoining; conveniences; lady; $10. Apt. 43.

107TH, 260 WEST (Broadway)—Large, bright rooms; running water; private house; $10.

112TH, 200 WEST—Sitting room and bedroom; modern improvements; nicely furnished; suitable for two. Apt. 2B.

113TH (Between 7th and 8th Avs.)—Beautiful, large double front room; two gentlemen or business couple. Cathedral 6159.

113TH, 501 WEST—Beautifully furnished, large, front room; electricity; refined; $9. Timone.

114TH, 417 WEST (5W)—Desirable, outside, well-heated room adjoining bath; elevator, electricity; 1 gentleman; references. Cathedral 7760.

114TH, 528 WEST—Well furnished, large, outside, sunny room; references. Cathedral 7812.

115TH ST., 610 WEST—Room, $10; student, business woman. Apt. 63A.

116TH, 371 WEST—Comfortable warm room, running water, $8; breakfast optional. Curtz.

116TH, 404 WEST—Large single room, private family; all conveniences. Crain.

118TH, 210 WEST—HOTEL CECIL.
ATTRACTIVE ROOMS, WITH OR WITHOUT PRIVATE BATHS; SPECIAL WEEKLY RATES; FULL HOTEL SERVICE.

122D, 515 WEST—Comfortable room, use of bright, sunny apartment; real home for right person; reasonable. Apt. 22.

122D, 207 WEST—Large rooms, all improvements, light housekeeping; reasonable.

122D, 512 WEST—Large rooms, two beds, adjoining bath; elevator, shower. Nichols.

123D, 848 WEST—In refined private house, large, light, comfortably furnished front room, kitchenette and bath; suitable for two; reasonable; attentive service. Phone 654 Morningside.

124TH, 557 WEST (Broadway)—Sunny rooms, single, en suite; kitchen privileges; piano, elevator, telephone; $9, $20. Apt. 42.

137TH, 606 WEST (Apt. 5B)—Comfortable room in American Christian family; gentleman.

138TH, 620 WEST—Room and private bath; private entrance; private house; $50.

141ST, 605 WEST—Attractive front room; elevator building. Apt. 1D. $8.

145TH, 544 WEST—Furnished room; improvements; suitable one-two gentlemen. Silbert.

158TH, 636 WEST (Riverside, Near Broadway Station)—Parlor and bedroom for couple or more persons; reasonable.

160TH ST., BROADWAY—Furnished room with private bath; women only. Phone Wadsworth 6128.

174TH, 590 WEST—Large room; no other roomers. Apt. 68. Wadsworth 4050.

177TH (Overlooking Hudson)—Large, attractive, warm; private lavatory; exceptional home. Wadsworth 9512.

185TH ST., 601 WEST—Nicely furnished room for business person; $7. Apt. 35.

BROADWAY, 2,647 (101st)—2 sunny rooms, well kept, desirable; seventh south.

EXTRAORDINARY opportunity for refined bachelor or married couple desiring exclusive accommodations with private family; delightful home atmosphere; apartment facing Riverside Drive; one block from 157th St. subway; only highest personal references considered. C 119 Times.

HOTEL ABERDEEN—Rooms with private bath; telephone in rooms; modern hotel service; fireproof; $17.50 weekly. 32d St., bet. 5th Av. and Broadway. Penna. 1600.

MANHATTAN AV., 347—Parlor and bedroom; first flight; heated; private family. Donnelly.

RIVERSIDE, 151 (87th)—Beautiful room, dressing room; modern bath; kitchenette privilege.

RIVERSIDE DRIVE—Superb room for refined people; magnificent fireproof elevator apartment. Tel. Schuyler 844 from 10-4.

RIVERSIRE DRIVE, 230 (95th)—Large room overlooking Hudson; private family. Apt. 53.

RIVERSIDE DRIVE, 145—Subway; two communicating front rooms; kitchen privileges; for three men; $22. Audubon 8252. White.

WELL furnished room, dressing room, bath; private house; gentleman. Schuyler 2094.

WEST END AV., 700 (94th St.)—Exceptionally attractive sunny two-room suite, five windows; piano, electricity; beautifully furnished; also large room, suitable two, and single room. Phone Riverside 9845. Britten.

BOARDERS WANTED

45 cents a line.

East Side.

30TH (corner Lexington Av., 163)—Room with meals, $18 weekly up; good home cooking, hotel service, elevator, telephone; for women exclusively. Hotel Rutledge.

MADISON AV., 213 (near 34th)—Attractive rooms; excellent table; references.

West Side.

53D ST., 64 WEST—Single and double rooms, with board; references.

58TH, 44 WEST—Elegant large rooms, private bath; steam; table the best.

72D ST., 255 WEST—Large, double room; suitable for three persons.

73D ST., WEST—Charming, refined home; exceptional food and accommodations. Columbus 1631.

74TH, 149 WEST—Single, double, private bath, electricity; ideal location; purest foods.

79TH, 114-132 WEST—Wide, parked street; unusual and attractive; large parlors; tea room and lounge; steam heat.

79TH, 212 WEST—Large, double room, private bath; board.

80TH, 123 WEST—Small room, large room, bath, excellent table; also large ground floor room with tile bath, kitchenette privileges, at 162 West 78th.

80TH, 143 WEST—Large warm room, 2d floor; table board; homelike; references.

80TH, 143 WEST—Large, warm room; 2d floor; table board; homelike; references.

82D, 124 WEST (Graycourt)—Attractive, modern, steam heat; references; table guests.

82D, 174 WEST—The Little House, small rooms, delightful home, delicious cooking.

93D ST., 307 WEST—Large and small rooms; southern exposure; well-appointed house; table guests.

97TH, WEST—Large room, elevator, private family, 2 meals; $17.50. Riverside 1624.

102D ST., 247 WEST—Large front room, adjoining bathroom, in high-class Jewish house. Riverside 6343.

103D, 230 WEST—Front parlor apartment, singles; continuous hot water; home cooking; 2 doors broadway facing Marseilles Hotel.

120TH, 128 WEST—Double room, private bath; Jewish table. Brody, Morningside 2123.

ROOMS WANTED

Furnished.

BY REFINED COUPLE, large room, one flight, in good location, near "L" or subway; must have running water and modern conveniences; references; state price and phone number. D 254 Times.

FATHER and adult son desire comfortable room, with twin beds; $40 month; private family only. Stern. Vanderbilt 4097.

GENTLEMAN, American Hebrew, desires room and breakfast, private family. D 230 Times.

YOUNG gentlemen desire clean room with refined private family, between 40th and 96th Sts. E 83 Times.

JAPANESE student desires sunny room in small, refined family; west side, uptown; $7 limit. E 91 Times.

REFINED young man desires reasonable room with private family. C 111 Times.

NURSE, room, kitchen privileges, telephone, subway; west side, 70s. D 240 Times.

THREE gentlemen want three bedrooms and parlor. Write 708, Hotel America.

SITUATIONS WANTED—Female

ASSISTANT BOOKKEEPER, general office assistant, filing, experienced; conscientious; $18. C 89 Times.

BOOKKEEPER—Beginner, Hebrew; I write a good hand, am quick and accurate and have been drilled in the most modern methods of accounting; satisfactory, references concerning character and ability; will start at $18. Miss X., 36 West 123d St., phone Harlem 518.

BOOKKEEPER - STENOGRAPHER-OFFICE MANAGER, EXECUTIVE ABILITY, THOROUGH KNOWLEDGE ACCOUNTANCY; 14 YEARS' EXPERIENCE 2 FIRMS; REFERENCES; AGE 28. K 305 TIMES.

BOOKKEEPER—Certified public accountants wish to place competent young lady; thorough knowledge double entry books; unquestioned reliability; executive ability; salary $30. D 242 Times.

BOOKKEEPER, experienced, college graduate, financial statements, typewriting; $30. A 739 Times Downtown.

BOOKKEEPER, accurate, conscientious, thoroughly experienced double entry, controlling accounts. C 101 Times.

BOOKKEEPER, stenographer, experienced, controlling accounts, trial balance; executive ability. D 248 Times.

BOOKKEEPER, part time; write up books, daily or weekly; trial balances; reasonable. V 740 Times Downtown.

BOOKKEEPER'S ASSISTANT, typist, experienced; urgently needs position; $22. L 666 Times Downtown.

BOOKKEEPER—Competent; 8 years' experience; capable of taking entire charge. A 937 Times Downtown.

BOOKKEEPER, stenographer, 4 years, trial balance; conscientious. T. Adler, 1,474 Wilkens Av.

BOOKKEEPER, 7 years' thorough experience, competent; best references. A 954 Times Downtown.

BOOKKEEPER AND TYPIST, knowledge of stenography, thoroughly experienced. Intervale 899 Party R.

BOOKKEEPER—Double entry, competent, 4 years' experience; A1 references. E 104 Times.

BURROUGH'S bookkeeping machine operator, hand bookkeeper, knowledge of stenography; 4 years' experience; best references. A 989 Times Downtown.

CASHIER — Experienced, ambitious; good references; wishes position. K 316 Times.

COMPANION—Widow wishes position as companion to middle-aged or elderly woman; good reader, intelligent shopper and accustomed to traveling; excellent references. Y 2423 Times Annex.

COMPANION, seamstress, to lady going South. D 238 Times.

COOK—Lady leaving town wishes position for experienced cook. 121 East 34th.

CORRESPONDENT, young lady, seeks position; speaks French, German, Polish, Ukrainian and English; experience. E 84 Times.

DRESSMAKER, reliable; $6 daily; city, suburbs; gowns, remodeling. Murphy, 333 East 87th.

DRESSMAKER — Expert; out by day, at home. Phone Audubon 7752. Ransom.

GOVERNESS, competent, speaking French, good musician; South preferred; references. E 89 Times.

HOUSEKEEPER—A capable Vermont woman to take charge of a house, good cook. Y 2425 Times Annex.

HOUSEKEEPER, or cook and housekeeper with help or position of trust; lady recommends. Monahan, 310 West 14th.

HOUSEKEEPER and good cook; middle aged. F. Anders, 528 West 187th.

HOUSEKEEPER manager, where help kept, or companion lady. Jewett, 142 West 129th.

HOUSEWORKER—Colored girl seeks position; no washing; sleep in; A1 references. 381 Central Park West, Apt. 5 south. Phone 9-5, Riverside 7260.

LAUNDRESS, Finnish, wishes day's work and cleaning. Haden, 130 West 123d, basement.

LAUNDRY at home; open-air drying. Mary Fawn, 324 West 37th St.

NURSE, surgical, ear, nose and throat, two years' general hospital training, five years' operating, wants position in office of specialist who has large practice; state salary. Y 2416 Times Annex.

SALESWOMAN.
Executive reluctantly parting with the services of an unusual young saleswoman would like to place her with an organization that offers a sound proposition, that is backed up by a decent salary plus a commission; her earnings in my employ have approximated about $75 weekly. Write Box L. M., 145, 405 Childs Building.

SECRETARY-STENOGRAPHER, nine years' commercial experience; knowledge bookkeeping, export, rapid typist, office details; $30. A 988 Times Downtown.

SECRETARY, stenographer, competent, desires responsible position; highest credentials; nine years' experience. D 111 Times.

SECRETARY-STENOGRAPHER, Christian, competent, 9 years' experience; best possible references; $30. W 70 Times.

STENOGRAPHER - SECRETARY, energetic, reliable, painstaking, trustworthy, seven years' insurance, brokerage, real estate, engineering experience; good detail worker; unquestionable references; $25. L 661 Times Downtown.

STENOGRAPHER — Beginner, graduate of stenographic department and model office of Eastman School; one trial will demonstrate my ability and willingness to work; good references; will start at $18. Miss D., 36 West 123d St. Phone Harlem 518.

STENOGRAPHER-TYPIST, 3 years' experience, capable and efficient; neat appearance; salary $20. Miss Brownshield, 1,922 Wallace Av., Bronx. Phone Westchester 1927.

STENOGRAPHER-TYPIST, beginner, competent, well bred, desires connection with responsible concern. Fannie Schwartz, 122 Cortelyou Road, Brooklyn.

STENOGRAPHER, experienced, desires position small office; capable taking care office detail work; best references. A 747 Times Downtown.

STENOGRAPHER desires position with theatrical or motion picture office. D 232 Times.

West Side.

121ST, 414 WEST—Large, warm rooms, board; near Columbia College. Apt. 2.

EVELYN LODGE—Charming all-year residence, lovely location; 25 min. to Wall St.; cosily furnished; excellent chef and service; small tables; parlors, smoking room, comforts; weekly, $18 up, with meals; 75 guests; 12 years one management; booklet. 71 Central Av., St. George, S. I. Block from ferry.

RIVERSIDE DRIVE, 320 (Corner 104th St.)—Southern exposure every room; private bath and telephone; elevator; Hungarian chef; refined Hebrew social surroundings. Mrs. IDA MARKS.

RIVERSIDE, 222 (94th)—Beautiful room, private bath, single. Apt. 34, 9881 River.

BOARD WANTED.

JEWISH young man desires board, refined family boarding house. A 977 Times Downtown.

REFINED young Japanese gentleman wants room, with or without board, near Columbia University; reasonable. C 116 Times.

COUNTRY BOARD.

VALHALLA MOUNTAIN HOUSE, Valhalla, Westchester County, N. Y.—45 minutes to Grand Central Station; open all year round, with every convenience; special rates for Winter commuters, also holidays and weekenders. Phone White Plains 1165.

GREENWICH INN LODGE (Sound Beach, Conn.)—Sunny steam heated rooms, with or without baths; excellent menu; 50 minutes from New York; golf, saddle horses, fishing; reasonable rates.

COUNTRY BOARD WANTED.

SINGLE gentleman, engaged literary work, wishes accommodation quiet, refined country home, private family; Westchester County preferred; willing to pay right kind accommodation; garage space required. Y 2413 Times Annex.

SITUATIONS WANTED—Female.

STENOGRAPHER, assistant bookkeeper, Christian; 7 years' experience, law and commercial. Tel. South 5614. M., 195 Prospect Park West, Brooklyn.

STENOGRAPHER—Present employer wishes to secure position for capable young lady; can highly recommend; salary $25. Bryant 3452. K 314 Times.

STENOGRAPHER, one year's experience; switchboard operator; references; $16. L 678 Times Downtown.

STENOGRAPHER, three years' experience; references; salary $20. V 828 Times Downtown.

STENOGRAPHER, 6 years' experience, including engineering; high school graduate; entirely competent; $30. D 259 Times.

STENOGRAPHER or dictaphone operator, high school graduate, 2 years' experience; good references. M., 162 Ross St., Bklyn.

STENOGRAPHER, 6 years' experience, including engineering; high school graduate; highly efficient; reasonable. D 258 Times.

STENOGRAPHER - SECRETARY, experienced, educated, ambitious. A 969 Times Downtown.

STENOGRAPHER, experienced, neat and capable; excellent references; $25. A 965 Times Downtown.

STENOGRAPHER, experienced, thorough knowledge of office routine; $23. T 732 Times Downtown.

STENOGRAPHER-SECRETARY, Christian; 5 years' experience; references; $25. A 966 Times Downtown.

STENOGRAPHER - SECRETARY, English, Spanish, French, German translator. A 734 Times Downtown.

STENOGRAPHER, knowledge bookkeeping, capable assuming executive duties; $25. A 740 Times Downtown.

STENOGRAPHER, experienced, efficient, high school graduate; $23. E. E., 213 Times Downtown.

STENOGRAPHER, accurate, rapid dictation, knowledge bookkeeping; highly recommended. B 1030 Times Annex.

STENOGRAPHER - SECRETARY, experienced, Christian; legal work preferred; $35. A 886 Times Downtown.

STENOGRAPHER—Conscientious; possesses tact, initiative; thoroughly competent; start $25. E 96 Times.

STENOGRAPHER, typist, office assistant, accurate, ambitious, competent, experienced; $20. D 260 Times.

STENOGRAPHER, 3 years' experience; willing, accurate; references; $18. A 714 Times Downtown.

STENOGRAPHER, 3 years' experience, office assistant; references; $20. L 686 Times Downtown.

STENOGRAPHER, 6 years' experience; $25; rapid and accurate. L 656 Times Downtown.

STENOGRAPHER, seven years, thoroughly competent, educated; initiative; $27. B 1024 Times Harlem.

STENOGRAPHER, experienced, position where character and personality count. K 308 Times.

STENOGRAPHER-BOOKKEEPER — Competent; two years' reference. A 976 Times Downtown.

STENOGRAPHER-SECRETARY, thoroughly experienced, reliable; references. E 88 Times.

STENOGRAPHER, capable, willing; reference; one year's experience. D 247 Times.

STENOGRAPHER, 17, intelligent beginner, 2 years' high school. Telephone Lenox 7167.

STUDENT desires part time work; cashier, clerical, &c. E 110 Times.

SWITCHBOARD, filing, clerical experience, 5 years; quick, accurate; $22. D 237 Times.

TEACHER of French, experienced, desires position three mornings weekly; no less than $50 a month. D 241 Times.

TYPIST, multigrapher, experienced; take charge of office; secretarial duties; references. Reisler, 1,530 Seabury Place, Bronx.

TYPIST, 5 years' experience, thoroughly familiar office routine. A 727 Times Downtown.

TYPIST, office assistant, 3 years' experience; references; $18. L 655 Times Downtown.

TYPIST wishes home work or in office afternoons. E 81 Times.

WAITRESS—Lady leaving town wishes position for her experienced waitress, parlor maid. 121 East 34th St.

YOUNG LADY of college education, with valuable experience as financial and social secretary and household manager of wealthy home, desires position of trust and responsibility, preferably as confidential manager of a wealthy private house; is well travelled and understands the business thereto; understands investments, banking, &c.; has excellent references and desires position of confidence and large responsibility. Y 2426 Times Annex.

YOUNG LADY of refinement wishes position with respectable family as French teacher and do modiste work; speaks very little English; highest references exchanged. A 733 Times Downtown.

YOUNG LADY, refined, experienced office details, filing, &c.; $16. K 315 Times.

YOUNG WOMAN, Dutch, willing, wishes to care for little girl with family going South or to California. E 95 Times.

YOUNG WOMAN, intelligent, stenographer, clerical position, afternoons and evenings. A 748 Times Downtown.

Employment Agencies.

HOUSEWORKERS—Neat colored girls, investigated references, wish places; other Southern help supplied. Lincoln Industrial Exchange (Agency), 314 West 59th. Phone Columbus 5022. Established 1890.

MRS. KEMP'S AGENCY, Audubon 2858—High grade colored servants, city, country; references investigated.

BERTHA CARLSON, Swedish Agency—First-class servants. 2,280 Broadway, cor. 82d St.

SHEPHERD'S AGENCY — Help by month, week or day. 107 W. 133d St. Morn. 6916.

SITUATIONS WANTED—Male.

ACCOUNTANT, SENIOR, ABOUT TO RECEIVE NEW YORK CERTIFIED ACCOUNTANT DEGREE, DESIRES PART TIME ARRANGEMENT. A 730 TIMES DOWNTOWN.

ACCOUNTANTS - Systematizers — Books opened, closed, audited; financial statements, income tax reports; arrangements firms without bookkeepers. The Stim Co., 39 Cortlandt St. Rector 4678.

ACCOUNTANT—Books systematized, closed, audited; arrangements firms without bookkeepers; tax specialist; reasonable. Greene, 1457 Hudson Terminal Building. Telephone Cortlandt 1379.

ACCOUNTANT, junior, N. Y. U. senior student, seeks connection with C. P. A.; salary secondary to opportunity. C 120 Times.

ACCOUNTANT—Books opened, audited, systems, tax reports, arrangements firms without bookkeepers, $2.50 weekly up. Goldwater, 299 Broadway. Worth 5068.

ACCOUNTANTS (Certified)—Audits, systems tax consultants, economists; moderate charges. Wilcox, Inc., 1,604 B'way. Bryant 8825. Morningside 8375.

SITUATIONS WANTED—Male.

ACCOUNTANT, EXECUTIVE.
Office manager, auditor, cost accountant, public accounting experience, expert organizer, systematizer, constructive calibre of mind, 25 years' experience, open permanent engagement in executive capacity with manufacturing or commercial corporation; salary $4,000; available proper notice. Jersey Commuter, 642 West 30th St., New York.

ACCOUNTANT, PUBLIC EXPERT.
Books opened, closed, audited, tax reports, arrangements with firms without bookkeepers; reasonable charge; references.
JAROW, 40 E. 12th. STUYVESANT 119.

ACCOUNTANT, junior, 1 year certified, 2 years' bookkeeping experience, advanced university student, desires certified connection. D 234 Times.

ACCOUNTANT, 28, thoroughly capable, 9 years' commercial and public accounting experience; financial statements; university education. E 98 Times.

ACCOUNTANT-BOOKKEEPER, five years' experience, desires employment two or three days weekly; please state terms. D 262 Times.

ACCOUNTANT, certified, several days week open, desires connection with firm of accountants. B 1222 Times Bronx.

ACCOUNTANT, senior Pace student, seeks accounting firm connection. A 957 Times Downtown.

ACCOUNTANT—Books opened, closed, audits, tax statements. Cooper, 1 Broadway. Bowling Green 8355.

ACCOUNTANT—Monthly audits, systems installed, tax reports. Robinson, 128 Broadway. Rector 4275.

ACCOUNTANT, experienced junior, advanced student, desires position with accountants. E 74 Times.

ACCOUNTANT, office manager, 15 years' experience; Christian. A 960 Times Downtown.

ACCOUNTANT, junior, certified experience, university senior; audits without supervision. D 217 Times.

ACCOUNTANCY STUDENT, experienced bookkeeper, wishes connection with accountants. A 986 Times Downtown.

ACCOUNTANT, junior, 26, college graduate, C. P. A. experience, tax knowledge, desires connection certified firm. C 112 Times.

ACCOUNTANT (certified), tax specialist; books opened, closed, audited; very reasonable. Franklin 2644.

ACCOUNTANT, 23, experienced auditor, income tax; well educated; $30. E 69 Times.

ADVERTISING—Young man, 24, university graduate, specialized in advertising, experienced, wishes connection agency or assisting manager. E 87 Times.

ATTORNEY, New Jersey; 7 years' experience in general practice, highest references, desires place in New York law firm to handle New Jersey work, or position with business or financial corporation where services can be utilized; expectations as to income moderate until value is proven. A 685 Times Downtown.

BAKER, second hand, wishes position. David Van Brandighan, 253 West 93d St.

BINDERY FOREMAN, 25 years' experience; best references. C 882 Times.

BOOKKEEPER, double entry, typist, cost and production clerk; 5 years' mercantile, steamship, brokerage experience; highly educated, efficient; take complete charge of office; render trial balances, financial statements; good penman; conscientious, willing; $30. O 716 Times Downtown.

BOOKKEEPER and credit man, 27, married, thoroughly experienced all office details, looking for connection with progressive concern; highest credentials. Hirschhorn, 148 Floyd St., Brooklyn.

BOOKKEEPER, 37, MARRIED, THOROUGH PRACTICAL KNOWLEDGE OF BRANCH AND GENERAL ACCOUNTING, DISENGAGED, SEEKS POSITION WITH REPUTABLE CORPORATION. B 519 TIMES.

BOOKKEEPER—Thorough accountant; 12 years' experience; New York University graduate; good systematizer, experienced cost man, tax reports, financial statements, able correspondent. D 198 Times.

BOOKKEEPER'S ASSISTANT, experienced sales ledgers, control accounts, trial balances; adaptable, good education. A 910 Times Downtown.

BOOKKEEPER, thoroughly familiar double-entry, student higher accountancy, desires connection with certified public accountant firm; best references. E 1223 Times Bronx.

BOOKKEEPER, EXECUTIVE, office manager, cashier, long experience, full charge; loyal, punctual and energetic; references; bond. D 261 Times.

BOOKKEEPER-TYPIST, 4 years' experience, correspondent; full charge. A 700 Times Downtown.

BOOKKEEPER, experienced accountancy student, desires position with opportunities. C 117 Times.

BOOKKEEPER, ten years' experience, knowledge stenography, typewriting, desires position. D 239 Times.

BOOKKEEPER, 22, take charge, handle correspondence, collections; accountancy student. E 77 Times.

BOOKKEEPER, office work, 22, college graduate, seeks position. A 728 Times Downtown.

BOOKKEEPER, double entry experience; highest references; moderate salary. E 101 Times.

BOOKKEEPER, thoroughly experienced, good worker, wants position; salary $23. N 207 Times.

BOOKKEEPER, 3 years' experience, competent take full charge, desires position. N 208 Times.

BOOKKEEPER, part time; write up books, daily or weekly; trial balances; reasonable. S 923 Times Downtown.

BOOKKEEPER, experienced, accounting student, complete set; unquestionable references. Steiger, 87 Sheriff St.

BOOKKEEPER, experienced, college education, renders financial statements; complete charge. D 218 Times.

BOOKKEEPER-STENOGRAPHER, 25, accountant, experienced, competent, good correspondent; reference. C 380 Times.

BOOKKEEPER, 25, experienced, controlling accounts, trial balance, financial statements. E 82 Times.

BOY, 17, willing worker, wishes position anything; references. Fleishman, 2,009 8th Avenue.

BUTLER, Cook, Houseworker, trustworthy, competent, willing, clean, agreeable. Telephone Fitzroy 403.

BUYER, experienced export and domestic dry goods, general merchandise, seeks position; recently discharged officer U. S. army. C 121 Times.

CHAUFFEUR, 36, married, wishes position, city or country; many years' experience as chauffeur and machinist; 4 years' private family driving in New York; willing to drive any car; Pierce-Arrow preferred. Ernest Barnhart, 104 West 96th St.

CHAUFFEUR, mechanic, young man, married, eight years' experience, all makes, best references, desires position private family. Dempster, Audubon 8804.

CHAUFFEUR, 32, married, colored, wishes private or commercial position; 12 years' experience; reference. F. La Borde, 208 West 133d.

CHAUFFEUR, neat, expert mechanic, careful driver, first class every respect; 10 years' shop and driving experience high-grade cars; best references. D 245 Times.

CHAUFFEUR, mechanic, 27 years old, wishes position; private preferred; references. Collins, 813 Chestnut St., Williamsbridge. Tel. 381 Olinville.

CHAUFFEUR-MECHANIC, careful driver, married; on account of death in family where he was employed 7 years. Plaza 7635.

CHAUFFEUR, experienced, reliable, private or commercial; city or country; willing worker; references. D 220 Times.

CHAUFFEUR, 30, 7 years' experience, highly recommended; salary $35. J. Simpson, 248 Putnam Av., Brooklyn.

CHAUFFEUR, mechanic, experienced high grade cars; competent, reliable. Busanich, 494 9th Av.

CLERK, shipping and receiving, 32, married, 10 years' experience, good marker; A1 references. Nicoletti, 48 Prospect St., Brooklyn.

CLERK, stock and shipping, age 22, 5 years' experience in textile line, desires position. A 731 Times Downtown.

CLERK, 38, perfect in Spanish, French, German, English, best reference, wants position. Box T. H., 10 Union Square.

COMPANION—Gentleman wishes position as companion to gentleman; willing to travel; 27 years old; best of references. O. Y. N. Robertson, 346 West 30th St., City.

COST ACCOUNTANT, 32, experienced, capable executive; highest credentials; available Jan. 1. B 1036 Times Harlem.

COUPLE—Man, chauffeur; wife as maid; willing to go out of city. C. Kruutar, 1 West 127th St. care Puskala. Phone Harlem 5770.

COUPLE—Man, chauffeur; wife chambermaid; city, country. O. Honka, 59 East 127th.

DESIGNER, structural, technical graduate, 9 years' experience, design steel, concrete, timber structures, including industrial plants, power houses; competent to take charge of work, wishes position with reputable industrial or engineering corporation. A 750 Times Downtown.

DOCTOR, young, wants position in sanitarium, hospital or private. P 405 Times.

DRAFTSMAN, architectural, 5 years' experience office buildings, factories, garages, knowledge building and zoning laws. A 726 Times Downtown.

DRAFTSMAN and machine designer desires additional work; 20 years' experience. Edward D. Roberts, 48 East 41st St.

DRAFTSMAN, mechanical, shop and engineering office experience; detailer. A 967 Times Downtown.

SITUATIONS WANTED—Male.

DRAFTSMAN, mechanical, technical education, 5 years' experience; excellent references. K 302 Times.

ESTIMATOR.
Engineer, university graduate, experienced estimator and salesman construction products. N 209 Times.

EXECUTIVE, high-grade, now controller of well-known industrial organization with large number of plants abroad, wishes to connect with institution requiring executive for energetic leadership on general lines, and one capable of co-ordinating production program with expenditure and expense budget; advertiser has successful record along similar lines of endeavor, and particularly in administering affairs during financial depression; minimum salary desired $15,000 per annum. Y 2415 Times Annex.

EXECUTIVE'S ASSISTANT—Man, 27 years old, nine years' general business experience including costs, manufacturing, sales and purchasing, analytical mind, wants permanent connection with future. E 108 Times.

EXECUTIVE'S ASSISTANT, three years' practical experience, aggressive, ex-soldier, former college man, excellent references, seeks opening with future; salary secondary to opportunity. E 109 Times.

EXECUTIVE, aged 40 years, representing Western firm in New York, is open for engagement Jan. 1; export and domestic; highest references. D 263 Times.

EXECUTIVE, assistant, 24, college graduate, four years' executive, selling, traveling experience, seeks opening; highest credentials. K 301 Times.

FARMER — Single, 30 years' experience, wishes position as manager of farm, or full charge of pure bred herd; understands care of cows, testing, &c.; all farm machinery, tractors, &c.; highest references; available Jan. 1. Address care William Oliver, Springfield Gardens, Springfield, Long Island, New York.

FOOD PRODUCTS.
Executive, 30, 10 years' experience manufacturing, packing table luxuries, source supply, purchase, sales, systematizer. A 971 Times Downtown.

MAN will appreciate proposition, enabling me to affiliate myself with a reliable organization desiring salesman, business personality; American, Jewish, 24, references; $30. P 408 Times.

OFFICE MAN, technical college graduate, two years purchasing machinery for large corporation, good correspondent, knowledge of office routine and bookkeeping; can furnish references as to character and ability. E 79 Times.

ON account of going South for the winter advertiser desires to place high class Holland couple with four-year-old child; prefer small family or bachelor apartment taking full charge except laundry; wife, good cook; man, butler and valet; have been in my employ several years. Address Room 701, 116 West 32d St., New York.

PRODUCTION SPECIALIST, with 25 years' practical experience, solicits interview with concerns desiring to improve their production; an interview costs nothing. Address K 309 Times.

SALESMAN, 28, successful record, selling belting to jobbers and direct; 11 years' selling experience, last 4 as New York sales manager; has equipped office on lower Broadway and desires to discontinue line of belting handled owing to lack of capital; will consider any good proposition. A 951 Times Downtown.

SALESMAN.
26, nine years' experience selling high-class service, protection, educational works, wish to establish myself permanently where connection will be increasingly valuable; salary and commission only; real service to purchaser absolutely essential. C 118 Times.

SALESMAN—Young man, 30, whose past year's earnings were $12,500, moving permanently to New Haven, Conn., is open for a real selling opportunity in that section; broad business and selling experience warrants handling any character commodity; immediate returns immaterial. D 108 Times.

SALESMAN—Representative lines for the city of Chicago for jobbers, cutting-up and retail trade by salesman well acquainted with the territory; on straight commission only. A. L. Brothers, 3,024 Blaine Place, Chicago, Ill.

SALESMAN with following among furniture, department store trade, Southern States, is open to make new connections with reputable house in floor coverings, furniture specialties or allied lines. D 255 Times.

SALESMAN, experienced specialty, 30, married, college man, knows Connecticut and New England; available Jan. 1 for established line; references; salary or drawing. D. R., 75 Sherman Av., New Haven, Conn.

SALESMAN—Am open for a men's belt and neckwear line for established territory; Connecticut, Massachusetts, Rhode Island; will furnish best references. E. P., 111 Times.

SALESMAN—Young man, 24, city, road experience, knowledge of accounting, manufacturing, desires position with future. C 114 Times.

SALESMAN—Mountain territory, big following cigars, stationery stores, seeks representation good line stationery and candy. C 389 Times.

SALESMAN, experienced, would like to connect with lace and embroidery house; reference. E 94 Times.

SALESMAN, electrical appliances, experienced, desires permanent connection. E 76 Times.

SALESMAN, delicatessen specialties, large following, wants side line. Buxbaum, 208 East 106th.

SALESMAN, experienced in floor coverings and housefurnishings, wants live proposition, or other reliable line. D 256 Times.

SALESMAN—Young man, good following among cutting-up trade, wishes connection with reliable trimming house. C 115 Times.

SALESMAN desires connect reliable firm; covered N. Y., vicinity. P 406 Times.

SALES ENGINEER, present employment charge engineering department, time study employment, for midwest factory of 500; sales engineering and advertising experience; familiar with modern production methods; age 24; desire to relocate in east. D 235 Times.

SHIPPING CLERK, 28, married, 10 years' export, domestic. A 741 Times Downtown.

STENOGRAPHER, clean-cut American, 8 years' construction, mining, mechanical, engineering experience, educated, absolutely reliable, trustworthy; not afraid hard work; have brains, ability; $25; highest credentials. N 804 Times Downtown.

STENOGRAPHER, experienced, accurate, high school graduate, desires position with advancement; age 25; salary $28. A 962 Times Downtown.

STENOGRAPHER, thoroughly experienced; A1 references; ex-service man; $25 per week. K 312 Times.

STENOGRAPHER-SECRETARY, 26; correspondent, executive, salesman, anything; available immediately. K 310 Times.

STENOGRAPHER, 28, experienced, seeks permanent position, or evenings only. D 243 Times.

TRANSLATOR, Spanish, French and Italian, wants position. Address J. J. Pickard, 627 West 113th St.

YOUNG MAN, college graduate (Yale, 1920), wishes to connect with a reliable concern where a career is in prospect and hard, intelligent application to duties assigned will be reasonably recognized; immediate salary is not important, but reputation of establishment is. M. B. Straka, 152 East 81st St., City.

YOUNG MAN, 22, Pace student, with two years' accountancy training, wishes to connect with establishment where there is room for a conscientious and ambitious employe; three years' business experience with commercial enterprises. A 743 Times Downtown.

YOUNG MAN—Ex-naval officer, 24, graduate, U. S. Naval Academy, wants position with future; salary to start secondary matter; wants a chance where hard work and ability are rewarded. Y 2417 Times Annex.

YOUNG MAN, 18, evening college student, knowledge French, Spanish; textiles position with future; preferably advertising agency or import concern. Ira Sommer, 328 West 113th.

YOUNG MAN, Japanese, long experience cook, also butler, wishes position to take entire charge bachelor's apartment or small family; has good references. S. Y., 17 West 63d St., City.

YOUNG MAN, 25, excellent selling ability, desires connection reliable concern offering opportunity; good appearance; aggressive; well recommended. C 123 Times.

YOUNG MAN, 22, high school graduate, 4 years' business experience, wants position at anything with a future; nights or day. E 75 Times.

YOUNG MAN, 23, Swiss, honest, speaking French, German, knowledge of English, high school education, wants position at anything, hotel preferred. D 252 Times.

YOUNG MAN, 20, tall, good appearance, desires general office position with future; good at figures; 4 years' experience; highest credentials. A 936 Times Downtown.

YOUNG MAN, 24, office experience, insurance, understands bookkeeping, correspondence, details, executive ability, seeks opportunity. A 955 Times Downtown.

YOUNG MAN, American, college graduate, 4 years' general export experience, wishes position where effort, ability will lead to advancement; best references. W 81 Times.

YOUNG MAN, 5 years general office experience, correspondent, wishes position with reliable firm; best references. D 236 Times.

YOUNG MAN, 24, experienced bookkeeping, correspondence, energetic, ambitious. A 985 Times Downtown.

YOUNG MAN (20), high school graduate, neat, good penman, wishes position with advancement. A 1081 Times Harlem.

YOUNG MAN, 27, single, experienced mechanic; A1 references; late of Packard Co. D 257 Times.

YOUNG MAN, 24, intelligent, seeks connection where satisfactory results will lead to position with advancement. C 113 Times.

SITUATIONS WANTED—Male.

YOUNG MAN, 21, experienced stock shipping clerk, willing, ambitious, desires position with chance for advancement. D 244 Times.

YOUNG MAN—High school graduate, energetic, references. Box 147, 217 Seventh Av.

YOUNG MAN, 20, wishes position clerical work; furnish reference. D 230 Times.

YOUNG MAN, 26, wishes position with future. H. Freidin, 261 West 116th St.

HELP WANTED—Female.

BILL CLERK who is competent to operate Remington. A 974 Times Downtown.

BOOKKEEPER, stenographer and typist; must know double entry bookkeeping; one having been with dress house preferred. 4th floor, 11 East 26th.

BOOKEEPER, cloak factory, state age, experience and salary expected. K 317 Times.

BOOKKEEPER, experienced double entry. S. Castellano, 412 East 103d St.

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HOUSEKEEPER (working), Larchmont; two adults, girl six; best home. E 105 Times.

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STENOGRAPHER, thoroughly acquainted with Monitor switchboard. Write, stating experience and salary wanted, A 729 Times Downtown.

STENOGRAPHER—Girl 18 to 25, bright, educated; Christian firm; need not be experienced. Telephone personally, Cortlandt 2997.

STENOGRAPHER, experienced dictation, filing; state education, age, nationality, experience, salary desired, reference, telephone number. D 249 Times.

STENOGRAPHER wanted in broker's office; experienced; making good appearance; good advancement. Simpson Rubber Products Corp., 28 Water St.

STENOGRAPHER by large foreign bank downtown; a lady with previous banking experience preferred, but not essential. V 830 Times Downtown.

STENOGRAPHER in large law office; about 4 years' experience; please give details as to experience and salary. A 738 Times Downtown.

STENOGRAPHER, experienced; good salary. Apply Mr. Riley, Hotel Association, 334 5th Av.

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TYPISTS, several, for church organization; neat and accurate work required. Apply 615 Lexington Av., 2d floor.

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BOOKKEEPER, capable, clean-cut young man, thoroughly experienced, who understands full set, including journal and trial balance, as assistant to accountant of import and export house; must have excellent references and stand thorough investigation as to honesty, character and ability; state age, nationality, religion, experience and salary expected to start. W 83 Times.

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BOOKKEEPER—Old-established marine insurance concern offers good opportunity in its accounting department for right party; state age, qualifications, &c. S 716 Times Downtown.

BOOKKEEPER, experienced, wanted by Stock Exchange firm; must be good penman; state age, experience and expectations. Address M. L., P. O. Box 822, City Hall Station, New York City.

BOOKKEEPER, experienced; factory; out of town; steady position with future. Box 764, 209 Cable Building.

BOYS, 15-16 years of age, wanted; large downtown office; only those willing to pay strict attention to business need apply. Answer, stating religion and salary. A 686 Times Downtown.

BOY, 15 to 17 years of age, wanted by large advertising agency; excellent opportunity for bright, ambitious boy to learn the advertising business. Apply Room 712, 381 4th Av.

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BOY, 17 years of age, in wholesale dry goods commission; reference required. A 736 Times Downtown.

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BOY for office; must be refined and have good education; state age, references and salary. K 313 Times.

BUSINESS MANAGER wanted by leading trade journal, able to write convincing promotion letters, be A1 detail and follow-up man, have advertising publishing experience; salary and full particulars. E 114 Times.

BUYER—Prominent wholesale dry goods jobbers desire a buyer experienced in buying and selling hosiery and underwear; good opportunity for thoroughly experienced man; give details, how many years' experience, where employed, salary expected, &c.; all correspondence held strictly confidential. "RELIABLE," 653 Times Downtown.

BUYER, assistant, wanted for large general merchandise concern located in Chicago, for toy and novelty dept.; do not apply unless you have had experience in this line and are capable to take entire charge; knowledge of mail order business essential. Answer by mail only, giving full details as to experience, age, references and salary desired. Sol Cohen, 220 Broadway.

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CLERKS TO HANDLE CLAIMS; MUST BE THOROUGHLY CONVERSANT WITH FREIGHT AND EXPRESS CLASSIFICATIONS AND RATES; REPLY, STATING AGE, EXPERIENCE, REFERENCES AND SALARY DESIRED. BOX 9, 209 CABLE BUILDING.

CLERK for a large publishing concern; state age, experience and salary expected. S 1039 Times Annex.

CLERK—Young man; must understand bookkeeping; give references and salary. W 78 Times.

DESK MAN—Competent man for news, exchanges, makeup; trade publication; steady day position; write fully, experience, references, also salary. A 742 Times Downtown.

EDITOR for trade weekly; capable executive and business writer; full particulars necessary; state salary. A 975 Times Downtown.

ENGINEER as coal specialist; college man preferred; state salary and experience. S. B., 115 Times.

FURNITURE MAN, thoroughly experienced, wanted to take full charge and buy for furniture department in department store located in a Pennsylvania city; one who was employed previously in such capacity and knowing when, where and what to buy. Apply in writing, stating previous experience, reference, &c., Y 2429 Times Annex.

JANITOR for close-by out-of-town apartment house; single man preferred, but no objection to man and wife without children; must be handy with tools and have experience with heater furnaces; excellent living quarters free. Reply, stating terms, age and references. E 100 Times.

JANITOR understanding steam heat and hot water; $100 monthly, 3 rooms. Apply 10 A. M., 157 West 123d St.

MANAGER.
Window trimmer for ladies' retail cloak and suit store; out of town; only those thoroughly experienced will be considered; good opportunity for the right party. Adler's, 1,170 Broadway. Room 310.

MANAGER and accountant, real estate, take charge large office; state salary and experience; write only. A., 2,481 Broadway.

MUSLIN UNDERWEAR.

A LEADING LADIES' UNDERGARMENT CONCERN SEEKS THE SERVICES OF AN EXPERT MANUFACTURER AND MERCHANDISER OF COTTON UNDERSKIRTS AND PETTICOATS.

WRITE STATING FULL PREVIOUS EXPERIENCE AND AGE; ONLY THOSE WITH DESIGNING, MERCHANDISING, MANUFACTURING AND MARKETING EXPERIENCE NEED APPLY.

K. R., 135 TIMES DOWNTOWN.

OFFICE MANAGER

TO FUNCTION AS ACCOUNTANT; GOOD BUSINESS CORRESPONDENT; SYSTEMATIZER, ECONOMIZER AND PREFERABLY WITH EXPERIENCE IN THE COAL BUSINESS; ABOVE ALL, MUST HAVE UP-TO-DATE METHODS, BANKING KNOWLEDGE, AND ONE WHO ACTUALLY MANAGES OFFICE HELP, EXECUTES AND GETS THINGS DONE; A 5TH AV. GENTILE COAL CORPORATION DESIRES MARRIED MAN, WITH PERSONALITY, BETWEEN 30 AND 40 YEARS PREFERABLY; WILL BE BONDED. REPLY COMPREHENSIVELY, STATING SALARY EXPECTED, AND ATTACH THIS ADVERTISEMENT.

MANAGER, T 591 TIMES.

OFFICE BOY—Splendid opportunity for advancement open to neat, intelligent boy in executive's office of daily newspaper; state age and salary desired. S 1038 Times Annex.

OFFICE BOY, make himself generally useful; one who understands filing preferred; state age, references and salary. V 822 Times Downtown.

OFFICE BOY, over 18, in busy law office; experienced preferred, but not essential. Apply Room 1110, 120 Broadway.

PACKER, must have experience in packing cotton goods and also able to handle cases. W 69 Times.

PORTER and shipping clerk, young man, wholesale tobacco, experience preferred, accuracy important; references. 144 Water St.

PURCHASING AGENT'S ASSISTANT—Young man, energetic and reliable, must be stenographer and have preferably purchasing department experience. Reply, stating age, education, experience and salary expected, Y 2414 Times Annex.

REPRESENTATIVE desired by waist manufacturer; capable closing special arrangements contemplated with department stores, mail-order houses, etc.; man of unusual persuasive ability, impressive personality; salary and commission. W 71 Times.

SALESMEN,
Retail, to travel on the road selling men's fine shoes to college trade; must be experienced; single men preferred; salary. W 31 Times.

SALESMAN—A man for a big job representing a popular line of ladies' and juniors' coats for the jobbing and large retail trade; one who has shown big results in the line should apply; commission basis; all communications kept in strict confidence. Schlansky, Kupfer Co., 693 Broadway.

SALESMEN—Leading firm of cost accountants and industrial engineers wishes to secure the services of high-class salesmen or negotiators; salary and commission; applications considered only from men of experience and successful record. Address Engineer, 735 Times Downtown.

SALESMEN—Increase your income; other lines may be dull, but not ours; liberal commissions and renewals; we will instruct you; no salaries or advances; good profits, increasing yearly. The Johnston & Collins Co., 55 Liberty St. Ask for Mr. Johnston or Mr. Kurzweil.

SALESMAN,
High-class ex-service man, preferably officer, to do advance work on the source records of the World's War; our high-class capable men make around $300 weekly, combining salary and commission. Call 10 to 12:30, Room 1954, 50 Church St.

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SALESMEN.
JAMES McCREERY & CO.
Have several vacancies in their men's clothing department for thoroughly experienced salesmen. Apply Superintendent's Office, 8th floor, 35th St., employes' entrance.

SALESMAN,
high class, to work on CATHOLIC ENCYCLOPEDIA; leads and strongest co-operation furnished; only those capable of earning $100 or more weekly will be considered; references absolutely essential; salary based on earnings. See Charles R. Corbett, 23 East 41st St.

SALESMAN—Young man with good personality, character, aggressiveness and ability to "close," desired to represent one of the largest and fasting growing insurance companies of its kind in the country; previous experience in the particular line not necessary; an excellent opportunity for right man; salary adjusted to the man and sales made; correspondence confidential; give full particulars about education, experience, past connections and interview will be arranged. Box T 595 Times.

SALESMEN—SWEATERS.
A leading sweater, bathing suit and fancy knit goods manufacturer with established following open for representatives in New England States, Middle West and Denver to coast; experience and full knowledge of knit wear absolutely essential; will only consider men who have earned five thousand yearly; wonderful opportunity; drawing against commissions; line ready Jan. 1. E 103 Times.

SALESMEN—SWEATERS.
One of the largest sweater, bathing suit and fancy knit goods manufacturers, with established following, desires representative to travel Pennsylvania and Ohio; will only consider experienced men with full knowledge knit wear; can earn five to ten thousand yearly; drawing against commissions; line ready Jan. 1. E 102 Times.

SALESMEN—Silk salesmen now selling retailers and jobbers in city and various territories wanted by silk manufacturer to sell a few strong values in silk crepes, &c., in connection; house is favorably known to every silk buyer throughout country; samples take little space, but large stock carried and large sales possible; commission basis; state firm represented (in confidence), territory, annual sales, &c. Y 2421 Times Annex.

SALESMAN, syndicate cut or advertising solicitor; experience preferred but not necessary; have opening for three salesmen capable of earning $5,000 yearly or better on commission; we do business with merchants and bankers throughout the country; applicants must be willing to devote entire time and have sufficient funds to finance themselves until orders are verified. Call third floor, 151 West 68th St., New York.

SALESMEN—SECURITY.
We can offer to a few experienced salesmen of highest calibre an opportunity to assist in the placing of a limited amount of preferred stock, carrying an attractive common stock bonus, in a sound industrial that will bear the most rigid investigation; commission basis; give references. S 754 Times Downtown.

SALESMAN—We desire a first rate, experienced man in our New York office to sell to our city and out-of-town trade; a man with lots of personality and push, well appearing, and one who is not an order-taker, but can really sell a line of high grade men's furnishings; salary proposition; call between 10 and 11 A. M. Harris Suspender Co., 694 Broadway, entrance 4th St.

SALESMAN—SPECIALTY MAN TO REPRESENT A WELL-ESTABLISHED CORPORATION SELLING GOVERNMENT-COMPILED INFORMATION; COMMISSION, BONUS AND EXPENSE; 50 MEN AVERAGING $125 WEEKLY; IF OVER 25 YEARS OF AGE AND WITH A SALES PERSONALITY AND A RECORD, APPLY TO 40 WEST 39TH ST., 2D FLOOR.

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SALESMEN—Side-line and commission men wanted to sell a high grade line of workingmen's gloves, F. P. Sargent gloves; territory open, Michigan, Middle West and Southwestern States for salesmen selling big or small towns with other lines; liberal commission. For full information write Spencer Glove Co., Waverly, N. Y.

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SALESMAN TO REPRESENT LEADING HOUSE MAKING LADIES' SILK AND CREPE UNDERWEAR, FOR PA., N. Y. STATE AND THE EAST; ESTABLISHED TRADE; SALARY AND COMMISSION. W 74 TIMES.

SALESMAN wanted; must be experienced in selling hand and beaded embroidery and must be acquainted with cloak, suit and dress houses; salary and commission offered to the right party. Y 2382 Times Annex.

SALESMAN, securities, wanted, with ability to sell Dusenberg Automobile and Motors Company, on commission, 8 per cent. preferred stock; exceptional sales record established. Dusenberg Automobile and Motors Company, Inc., 5 Columbus Circle.

SALESMAN who can finance himself for thirty days can earn hundred dollars weekly calling on garages, auto repair shops, factories, electrical dealers, &c.; give references, experience, age, commission. D 253 Times.

SALESMAN for an exclusive line of infants' and children's knit goods, having the following of the best infants' and children's wear department in New York State and Pennsylvania; salary or commission. T 594 Times.

SALESMAN, experienced, to handle in New York City and vicinity high-grade line composition lighting fixtures and lamps, on commission; Christian firm; state experience and full particulars. W 76 Times.

SALESMAN for hair nets and kindred line; several good territories still unfilled; commission basis; may handle non-conflicting notion line; a proposition for first-class man. Sitroux Importing Co., 1,123 Broadway.

SALESMAN, young man, for New England States, to call on art needlework stores with line of sweater and the SUPERSILK; drawing account against commission. Yarn, 182 5th Av.

SALESMEN, five, of ability and neatness for work in most influential membership organization of its kind; leads, full co-operation; big commission; no competition. For appointment Columbus 557.

SALESMAN with following among costume trade, to sell line of ribbon, flowers, &c.; salary and commission. Write full particulars; strictly confidential. Standard Novelty Works, 114 East 28th.

SALESMEN, pleasing personality, interested in making big money, to call on high-class private trade, will find wonderful proposition awaiting them; commission basis. Call Vanderbilt 5927 for appointment.

SALESMAN, CANDY BOXES.
A well-recommended salesman wanted to sell the best known candy box made, on liberal, strictly commission basis. Address with particulars, E 92 Times.

SALESMAN, coal, wholesale, having some knowledge of New York and vicinity territory; commission or salary. Apply or write Tuttle-Burger Coal Co., 4108 Woolworth Bldg. Phone Barclay 5488.

SALESMAN—Large knitting factory wants an experienced salesman for the knit goods jobbing trade, on commission only. Y 2424 Times Annex.

HELP WANTED—Male.

SALESMAN, CONFECTIONERY.
D. AUERBACH & SONS,
NEW YORK CITY,
require exclusive services (Jan. 1) of an experienced confectionery salesman; must be thoroughly acquainted with candy, tobacco and grocery jobbing trade in Louisiana and Mississippi; applicants will please give full information relative to experience and references in first letter; we pay salary and expenses.

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have learned how to work and have energy and ambition not only to make a splendid income, but to establish yourself, you are the man we are looking for. Preference given to men with insurance or book selling experience, between the ages of 25 and 40. We are old-established security dealers and handle only the highest grade securities upon which a permanent clientele can be built. We educate you to make good. Good commission. Several local territories around New York open. Call 10 to 4, Suite 1502, 170 Broadway. Ask for Sales Manager.

SALESMAN wanted by large, popular priced dress house for Pacific Coast; resident of San Francisco or Los Angeles; best opportunity for right party; only first-class references considered; commission basis. Greenberg Wiener, 31 West 27th.

SALESMAN wanted by large, popular priced dress house for Illinois and Wisconsin; resident of Chicago; best opportunity for right party; only first-class references considered; commission basis. Greenberg Wiener Co., 31 West 27th St.

SALESMAN, STATIONERY, catering to large consumer, to carry complete lines of filing cards, boxes and devices, &c.; commission basis. Tel. for appointment, Worth 1799. Hygrade Stat Co., 82 Duane St., New York City.

SALESMAN—A1 man wanted to carry line of hand-blocked and tailored hats; one well acquainted with jobbers and department stores; commission and drawing; interest in the firm; answer strictly confidential. Box 760, 209 Cable Building.

SALESMAN, one who is experienced in handling pure silk and wool sweaters of the highest quality, to sell New York trade and to see out-of-town buyers; all replies strictly confidential; salary and commission. S. M., 155 Times.

SALESMAN wanted who is calling on department stores to carry manufacturing jeweler's line of novelties and jewelry on a commission basis as a side line. Write J. G. Kilkenny Co., 95 Fountain St., Providence, R. I.

SALESMAN—A direct factory representative wanted for Staten Island, to handle a nationally advertised electrical appliance; one with car preferred; exceptional opportunity, with compensation on commission basis. Apply 247 Jackson Av., Jersey City.

SALESMAN on beaded bags; those experienced in this line or silk and leather ladies' handbags need apply; can choose own territory; drawing account against commission. Phone for appointment, Kaplan-Schwartz, 141 5th Av.

SALESMAN, thoroughly acquainted with building material business, to handle a well-advertised building specialty in New York and vicinity on commission; must have established office and connections with architects and contractors. B 502 Times.

SALESMAN, capable, New York and vicinity; large manufacturing firm of long standing, starting sale Jan. 1 new and patented mailing tube; opportunity for advancement; state qualifications, experience, salary desired. W 82 Times.

SALESMAN wanted, experienced in the general merchandise line, for Pennsylvania and New England States; good opportunity for the right man; salary or commission. Y 2419 Times Annex.

SALESMAN, wholesale stationery, to cover local retail trade; excellent opportunity; experience preferred; salary and commission. Chatham Stationery Co., Inc., 59 Walker St.

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SALESMAN to sell bathing suits, jerseys and knit athletic goods for New York City and vicinity; commission and salary. E 107 Times.

SALES MANAGER, general merchandise; opportunity for one who appreciates profit sharing; no weekly wage man. A 982 Times Downtown.

SALESMEN, new office device that pays $30 commission on each sale; protected metropolitan territory; leads furnished. Hutter, 253 Broadway. Telephone Barclay 3144.

SALESMAN wanted for city; one familiar with printing and stationery line; state experience and salary to start. S 751 Times Downtown.

SALESMAN to solicit accounts for freight bill auditing service; willingness to work and references essential; liberal commission basis only. Room 801, 874 Broadway.

SALESMAN wanted; well-known dress house for city offices and retailers; good opportunity for right party; commission. Write K. H., 1214 Wilson Building.

SALESMEN—Experienced retail clothing salesmen of good appearance; salary and commission. Write, state full particulars, W 80 Times.

SALESMAN to sell human hair, hair nets, hair dressing accessories, who has an established trade; salary and commission. W 73 Times.

SALESMAN wanted on commission, carrying side line to hardware trade through New York State. Apply 1 Cedar St.

SALESMAN for New York and Brooklyn, acquainted with chandelier trade, on salary or commission. A 961 Times Downtown.

SALESMAN, with car, to sell new auto accessory; excellent opportunity; commission. See American Sales Co., 1,679 Broadway.

SALESMAN wanted to sell iron and steel; no salary; commission basis only. W 66 Times.

SALESMEN sell Print-o-Graph machines; experience not necessary; can make $15 day commission. 284 Pearl St., Room 507.

SALESMEN, experienced dolls and toys; commission basis. Address by mail only J. Bouton & Co., 906 Broadway.

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MEN'S FURNISHING CONCERN, WITH RETAIL STORES IN THIS CITY, HAVE A SPLENDID OPENING FOR A MAN OF PERSONALITY AND GOOD RECORD; A MAN WHO IS DESIROUS OF CONNECTING PERMANENTLY WITH A HOUSE THAT WILL RECOGNIZE ABILITY; SALARY AND BONUS; WRITE, STATING AGE, QUALIFICATIONS AND PRESENT SALARY; REPLIES WILL BE TREATED AS STRICTLY CONFIDENTIAL. V 826 TIMES DOWNTOWN.

HELP WANTED—Male.

SUPERINTENDENT for large Western leather goods factory; must have ability to organize and get results; also high-class experienced fitting maker on suitcases and bags. A 981 Times Downtown.

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YOUNG MAN.
Large corporation requires capable, efficient young man, 22-24, experienced in building construction or alteration work desirable, but not necessary; permanent position with excellent opportunity for advancement; state experience and salary expected. V 832 Times Downtown.

YOUNG MAN, with college education, is offered chance to learn bond business with old-established bond house; if you have the right qualifications you are offered an unusual opportunity; salary and commission basis; write full details in letter. Room 704, 39 Cortlandt St.

YOUNG MAN—We require the services of a young man who is not afraid of work, willing to learn and looking for the future; age between 18 and 25; must assume charge of stock, shipping, answering phone, &c.; some experience in buttons will benefit; salary $20. Apply W 14 Times.

YOUNG MAN, efficient, ambitious, with thorough knowledge of bookkeeping; experienced in receiving and shipping preferred; excellent opportunity; reply in own handwriting, stating experience, remuneration expected and references. S 748 Times Downtown.

YOUNG MAN—A prominent downtown fire insurance company requires a young man for clerical position; must be refined and well educated; answers should state age, religion, experience and salary expected. A 972 Times Downtown.

YOUNG MAN to assist in packing and shipping department, willing to make himself generally useful; permanent position, with chance of promotion and learning about the merchandise. E 60 Times.

YOUNG MAN, by downtown bank, with some experience of documentary bills for incoming collection department; good salary and prospects for a bright, punctual and well-educated man. V 829 Times Downtown.

YOUNG MAN, experienced and trained for assistant to credit manager; large downtown hardware and cutlery house; Christian firm; write age, religion, experience, education, &c. S 680 Times Downtown.

YOUNG MAN to assist with clerical work in office of wholesale dry goods house. State age, experience and salary wanted to Bright, 747 Times Downtown.

YOUNG MAN for real estate office; one familiar with appraising preferred; state age, experience and salary required. V 827 Times Downtown.

YOUNG MAN in sample department of wholesale woolen house; state age, references, experience and salary expected to Future, 748 Times Downtown.

YOUNG MAN for shipping department, experienced in staionery preferred; give full particulars, salary expected. S 752 Times Downtown.

YOUNG MAN, familiar with shipping, for manufacturing house; must be good, permanent and accurate at figures, come well recommended. Balog, 236 5th Av.

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LEDGER CLERKS, brokerage, $30.

BROKERAGE CLERKS (4), must be familiar with Stock Exchange abbreviations; bank tellers and bookkeepers; also men experienced in loan and security department of bank; auditors (4), general experience; coupon clerks (domestic). Broadway Agency, 9 Church St.

WEAVER EMPLOYMENT SERVICE,
574 5TH AV. (47TH).
ASSISTANT to chief accountant, knowledge of accounting and stenography; Christian firm; unusual opportunity; $30; also office boy, over 16, $14. No registration fee.

MARGIN CLERK, $50; stenographer, $25; excellent opportunity; bank tellers, income tax men; Lithuanian clerk. Horrigan Agency, 145 Nassau St.

F. X. GOGGIN AGENCY,
253 Broadway; auditors, stenographers, loan clerks, real estate clerks, bank clerks.

NASSAU AGENCY, 115 Nassau—Bank bookkeepers, tellers, clerks, boys, $900 to $2,000.

AGENTS WANTED.

GLOVES.
Important Belgian Gloves Factory
WANTS
responsible agent with large following as their representative in the United States.
E 80 Times.

WANTED—A commission representative for English firm manufacturing silk cords, fringes, trimmings, bindings, tapes, elastics and millinery wires. Albert Green, Ltd., Derby, England.

AGENTS—Wonderful hosiery proposition; excellent opportunity. Call French Hosiery Club, 1,123 Broadway.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Moon-Hopkins billing machine, motor power; Burroughs bookkeeping and posting machine, motor power; also complete multigraph outfit; bargain. S 750 Times Downtown.

BIG BARGAINS—Slightly used office furniture, oak or mahogany; desks, chairs, files, tables, leather furniture, typewriters, adding machines, multigraphs, safes. Nathan's, 452 Broadway.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Complete show room, solid oak partitions in three sections, with necessary fixtures; also large show case; suitable for any ready-to-wear line. Call Gotham, 30 West 21st St.

24,000 POCKET knives and table cutlery, American made steel goods, at half of factory price. B. Seifert, 113-115 University Place, New York City.

PUBLIC ACUTION SALE of postage stamps, Dec. 29, 8 P. M. Walter S. Scott, Auctioneer, 125 West 42d St.

DICTAPHONE, mimeograph and adding machines on sale. Please phone Murray Hill 3690.

BRANDNEW 36-[illegible] multigraph; attachments; sell half price. Rubenstein, 335 Broadway.

BIG quantity of engravings from the most famous English and Italian painters; must be sold at once; very low price. D 231 Times.

ROLLTOP desks, oak sanitary chairs, letter file, settee. 81 Union Square, Room 1110.

NEW Aeolian vocalion, with records; reasonable. 46 Fort Washington Av. Apt. 1.

Furniture.

DINING table, sideboard, 6 Hepplewhite chairs, solid mahogany inlaid; wonderful bargain; $550 Oriental rugs; giving up home, Thursday; prefer to sacrifice rather than store; Tiffany lamps; chairs. Phone Schuyler 2944.

REED and willow furniture for all homes direct from factory; lowest prices, largest selection; in single pieces or sets. Long Beach Willow Co., 136 East 41st.

FOR SALE—Complete furnished office, mahogany finish, excellent condition. Call Room 1606 A, 23 West 43d St.

FURNITURE, complete four-room apartment, for sale, with two elegant brass beds. 506 West 122d. Apt. 62.

FOR SALE—Office furniture, supplies, telephones; immediate action. A 979 Times Downtown.

STENCIL MACHINE for marking shipments; bargain. W. H. Alexander, 42 Warren St.

Pianos and Organs.

MAHOGANY grand piano and Aeolian vocalion. 46 Riverside Drive, Apt. 5. Call any morning between 10 and 12, except Sunday.

PIANO, Wissner, upright, good condition; leaving city; must sell at once; $125. Mr. Powers, Lafayette 1180R.

STEINWAY Baby Grand, $800; time payment to responsible party. E 73 Times.

Typewriters.

TYPEWRITERS RENTED.
3 months, $8 up. AMERICAN WRITING MACHINE CO., INC., 345 Broadway, at Leonard St., 20 East 23d St., opposite Madison Av. Telephone 5408 Franklin.
THE TYPEWRITER EXCHANGE,
10 Barclay St. Telephone 4738 Barclay.

Wearing Apparel.

WILL dispose of magnificent seal dolman (full length), new model, elegantly lined; sell for $150. Call Fitzroy 5166 for appointment. Ask for Miss Roberts.

FINE cross fox scarf, black velvet dolman coat, fur collar, cuffs, black satin cape, dresses, hats, shoes. Mayer, 420 West End Av., cor. 80th St.

MAGNIFICENT Eastern mink wrap, almost new, $2,000, worth $6,000. Phone Spring 8521.

Cats and Dogs.

FOR SALE—Boston bull terrier, 5 months old, male; well marked; pedigreed. Apt. 81, 557 West 174th. Peterson. Phone Wad. 4228.

Wanted to Purchase.

WANTED—Pay full value contents apartments, houses, pianos, books, paintings, bric-a-brac. Miller, 120 University Place. Stuyvesant 3793.

HIGHEST cash prices paid for furniture, contents of houses, hotels, apartments, pianos, books, carpets, works of art. A. Jones, 161 East 125th St. Tel. Harlem 2787.

BOUGHT FOR SPOT CASH.
High-Grade Household Goods & Furniture. B. Grossman, 68 W. 45th St. Vanderbilt 2524.

I PAY 25% more than any one for your furniture, rugs, pianos, paintings. Griffin, 115 University Place. Stuyvesant 2298.

PUBLIC NOTICES.

ANY CHILD OR GRANDCHILD OF NICHOLAS SWEETMAN, late of Newbawn, Wexford, Ireland, will hear of something to his advantage by communicating with Sheridan & Kenny, solicitors, 24 Eustace St., Dublin.

MY WIFE, FRANCES O'DELL COOPER, having left my bed and board, I will pay no debts of her contraction. George R. Cooper.

AUTOMOBILE EXCHANGE

A market for used cars. All advertisements censored. Rate, 65 cents per agate line.

BUICK 1920 roadster.
CADILLAC 1919 touring; Victoria.
CADILLAC 1918 town landaulet.
CADILLAC 1917 limousine and touring.
HUDSON 1918 Sedan.
PACKARD 1918 suburban limousine.
PACKARD 1918 limousine.
PACKARD 1917 2-35 landaulet.
PACKARD AUTO EXCHANGE CO.,
10 West 60th St. Columbus 5078.

BUICK coupe, like new; driven 4,000 miles; two spare cords and bumper; price $2,000; bargain; compare with cost of new one; have ordered larger coupe; must sell by Friday or will keep. Eureka Garage, 172 Pacific St., Brooklyn. Owner, Steven.

BUICK 1918 touring, practically new; just overhauled; good tires; will sacrifice, $750 cash. B 531 Times.

BUICK, 1921 model, five passenger, equipped with five oversized Norwalk cord tires. E 112 Times.

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BUICK 1921 touring; exceptional opportunity. Schoonmaker-Jacod, 1,866 Broadway.

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CADILLAC 1920 "59" suburban sedan.
CADILLAC 1920 "59" touring.
CADILLAC 1919 victoria.
CADILLAC 1918 touring.
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HUDSON 1919 Model M coupe.
PACKARD 1919 3-35 Fleetwood touring.
STUTZ 1920 four-passenger.
SCHOONMAKER & JACOD, 1,866 B'way.

CADILLAC 1919 AMESBURY SEDAN
CADILLAC 1919 BROUGHAM SEDAN
CADILLAC 1919 SUBURBAN SEDAN
CADILLAC 1918 SUBURBAN SEDAN
BUICK 1920 COUPE
CHEVROLET 1919 SEDAN
DODGE 1918 COUPE
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CADILLAC closed cars, coupes, sedans, landaulets, limousines, town cars, 1917, 1918, 1919 models at reduced prices; call, make offer. 123 West 64th. Meyer.

CADILLACS, 1919, 4 and 7 passenger tourings, fully equipped; exceptional rubber, Westinghouse shock absorbers; $2,500 cash each. Gotham, 1,694 Broadway.

CADILLAC coupe, late 1919, 4-passenger, perfect condition, driven 6,000 miles. Full particulars, telephone Schuyler 7943, J. Collins.

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CADILLAC 1920 sedan, 1919 coupe, 1920 sport. Cook-Macconnell, 630 5th Av.

CHANDLER chubby roadster, 1918, first-class condition; can be bought bargain. Kaplan, 214 West 65th.

CHANDLER sedan, 1920 model, run 6,000 miles; fully equipped; will sell at sacrifice. Call Spring 1461.

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DODGE 18 SEDAN, $800.
Wire wheels, original paint; excellent condition, guar. 6 months; payments arranged; inspected, demonstrated. 499 East 163d. Melrose 5765.

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FIAT 1918 touring; private owner; must sacrifice. Seen 123 West 64th. Meyer.

FORDS, all models; immediate delivery; time payments; Authorized Ford Agency. Wadsworth 5494.

FORDS, touring, roadsters, suburban sedan, commercial. 20th Century Auto, 250 West 54th.

LANCER, 1914, 7-passenger touring; Westinghouse shock absorbers; can be bought bargain. Kaplan, 214 West 65th.

LANCIA 1916 limousine; excellent condition; make offer. Seen 123 West 64th. Meyer.

LEXINGTON 1920 sedan, five passenger, like new; many extras; for immediate sale; private owner. Stuyvesant 3823.

OAKLAND sedan, 1919, first-class condition. Room 420, 1,777 Broadway. Circle 1417.

PACKARD late model sedan.
PACKARD town brougham.
PACKARD 1916, 1-35 limousine.
PACKARD late model touring.
PACKARD 1917 sedan.
PACKARD touring.
STUDEBAKER cabriolet.
PACKARD MOTOR CAR CO.,
1,010 Dean St., Brooklyn. Prospect 7142.

PACKARD 3-35 touring; Fleetwood body, latest design. Barclay 7446.

PACKARD 1918 3-35 7-pass. Touring.
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CADILLAC 7-passenger Touring.
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1,763 Broadway.

CLARENCE H. HILL.

PACKARD seven passenger touring, latest model, special equipment; disc steel wheels; will sell car at $3,800, below cost. Max Oberweger, 136 West 52d.

PIERCE-ARROW, beautiful 1919 touring, dual valve; can't be told from new; condition guaranteed. Mrs. Hayman, 222 Riverside Drive. Phone 6374 Riverside.

PIERCE-ARROW 1917 48 landaulet; make offer. Seen 123 West 64th. Meyer.

PIERCE-ARROW 1920 French brougham, also limousine. Cook-MacConnell, 630 5th Av.

PIERCE-ARROW 1919, 48, runabout; will sacrifice. Seen 123 West 64th. Meyer.

REO, 1921 series, brand new; mileage 150; big discount. Mr. Beaman, Columbus 1011, or Richmond Hill 2850-W evenings.

ROAMER 1919 runabout; also 4-passenger; bargain. Seen 123 West 64th. Meyer.

SEDANS.
1920 Nash, 7-pass.; almost new.
1920 Oldsmobile "8"; mileage 1,400.
1920 Maxwell; scarcely used.
1919 Lexington; very exceptional.
1919 Nash, 7-pass.; like new.
1919 Cadillac, 7-passenger.
1919 Reo, 7-pass.; hardly used.
1918 Dodge Sedan; beautiful condition.
1917 Cadillac, 7-passenger.
1916 Cadillac, 7-passenger.
TIME PAYMENTS.
BRIGHTON, 1,077 Atlantic Av., Brooklyn.

COUPES.
1920 Nash, Four-Passenger.
1920 Scripps-Booth, Four-Passenger.
1918 Cadillac, Four-Passenger.
1917 Maxwell, Two-Passenger.
1917 Reo, Three-Passenger.
TIME PAYMENTS.
BRIGHTON, 1,077 Atlantic Av., Brooklyn.

Automobiles to Rent.

ROLLS-ROYCE, Locomobile limousines; prompt service; reasonable rates. Darrin, 6818 Murray Hill.

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PACKARDS, twin-six, for rent, night, day; owner drives. Bergerman, Morningside 2353.

LIMOUSINES to hire, $3 an hour; careful chauffeur. Phone Plaza 5435.

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ROADSTER.
DESIRE TO PURCHASE A ROADSTER; MUST BE STANDARD MAKE, HIGH POWERED AND IN GOOD MECHANICAL CONDITION. WRITE, STATING MODEL, EQUIPMENT AND LOWEST CASH PRICE. NO DEALERS. V 825 TIMES DOWNTOWN.

AUTOMOBILES—1,000 WANTED.
Highest prices paid; bring car or phone. 499 East 163d. Melrose 5765.

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AUTOMOBILES.
DEAD STORAGE.
$6 AND UP PER MONTH.
Cars stored in upper part of building.
Free from all dust and smoke.
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LEE BROTHERS, INC.,
212 EAST 125TH ST.
PHONE HARLEM 638.

HIGH-CLASS dead storage for automobiles; $15 per month, including service. Phone Columbus 4065.

GARAGE space to let; rates reasonable. 32d St. Garage, 153 East 32d St. Phone 4013 Vanderbilt.

Automobile Instruction.

AUTO INSTRUCTION.
4 and 8 weeks' courses for
Owners, Chauffeurs, Mechanics, Salesmen.
WEST SIDE Y. M. C. A.,
302 West 57th St., New York.
Get booklet and pass. Special ladies' classes.

AUTOMOBILE TRAINING BY EXPERTS.
Complete shop course, $66, with driving, $90; weekly payments. Ask for Catalogue L.
STEWART AUTOMOBILE SCHOOL,
225 West 57th St., at Broadway.
Leading School—Founded 1909.

The Civil Service.

City.

Applications for chemist (foods and drugs) will be received until 4 P. M. on Jan. 13. Candidates must be at least 21 years of age. The subjects and weights of the examination will be: Experience, 3; technical, 6; citizenship, 1. A qualifying physical test will be given. There is one vacancy in the Health Department at $1,500 a year.

United States.

The commission announces an examination for specialist in tropical agronomy, man or woman, up to 70 years of age, in the States Relations Service, Department of Agriculture, for duty in Hawaii, at entrance salaries ranging from $1,800 to $2,500 a year. Appointees may be allowed the increase granted by Congress of $20 a month. Competitors will not be required to report for examination at any place, but will be rated on education, training and experience, 75; thesis (to be filed with application), 25. Applicants must have graduated from a college or university of recognized standing and, in addition, have had at least one year's experience in tropical agriculture. Classified employes who have reached the retirement age and have served fifteen years are entitled to retirement with an annuity.

Naval Orders.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—The Navy Department published the following orders today:

Post, Cmdr. N. W., to Res. Destroyer Div., based on San Diego.
Bennison, Lt. Cmdr. M. S., to the Maryland; on board as Fire Control Off. when commissioned.
Comfort, Lt. Cmdr. R. M., to the Utah as navigator.
Foster, Lt. Cmdr. P. F., to the San Francisco as exec. off.
Fisher, Lt. C. O., to the Proteus.
Fougerousse, Lt. H. L., to course of instruction, Naval Med. School, Washington.
Gibbs, Lt. F. D., to Naval Hosp., Charleston, S. C., duty.
Johnson, Lt. F. S., to duty Naval Hosp., Hampton Roads.
Johnson, Lt. H. W., to Public Works Off., Naval Station, Guantanamo.

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES

15 cents per word. Two business and one bank reference required from advertisers.

CAPITAL TO INVEST.

BUSINESS man, exceptional ability, lately liquidated line catering to garment trade, will invest $10,000-$15,000 and active services in profitable commercial line; particulars strictly essential. E 106 Times.

WILL buy ladies' specialty store; home trade and Brooklyn preferred; state full particulars. Wm. Kashdan, 76 Church Av., Brooklyn, N. Y.

YOUNG MAN with capital desires connections with small established manufacturing concern in city. E 72 Times.

SHOE man with $10,000 can become partner to an established shoe factory and good paying retail store. A 749 Times Downtown.

WILL purchase established general insurance business. D 178 Times.

CAPITAL WANTED.

CASH ADVANCES
to manufacturers and jobbers on account receivable at the time shipment is made; you collect the accounts.
CREDIT DISCOUNT TRUST,
432 Fourth Av.
Phone Madison Square 8190.

PROMINENT dry goods broker desires to cooperate with party having capital to invest in the wholesale dry goods business; can submit sound proposition. S 735 Times Downtown.

A GOOD going factory wants a man with about $5,000 cash; must have executive ability; the factory shows a value of $22,560. L. D. 803, 110 West 40th.

WANTED to buy modern broad silk mill of 300 to 500 looms; up-to-date machinery; must be a bargain. Clark, MacMullen & Riley, 101 Park Av., New York.

BUSINESS CONNECTIONS WANTED.

ESTABLISHED knit goods and hosiery broker (Christian) desires co-operation of live salesman and executive; one with thorough knowledge of line; wonderful opportunity for high-calibre man; no attention given replies that do not state experience and details; highest references required; confidential. N 210 Times.

WANTED—A manufacturer's line of men's and women's leather goods for permanent representation in Chicago; large following among the jobbing and premium trade. Answer R. B. Deal, 115 South Dearborn St., Chicago, Ill.

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MANUFACTURERS, export sales manager offers services; offices, organization; increase your exports; requests interview. A 983 Times Downtown.

CONTRACTOR wanted for silk underwear; bring samples. Room 1911, 104 5th Av.

BUSINESS CONNECTIONS WANTED.

CAPABLE EXECUTIVE as general merchandise broker and manufacturer's agent, with efficient sales force, solicits additional accounts for 1921 for Cleveland, Ohio, and surroundings. Y 2397 Times Annex.

LARGE Brooklyn machine shop has surplus capacity; can quote excellent prices and give good deliveries on quantity production work of all kinds. The Duplex Engine Governor Co., Inc.

DISTRIBUTERS for territorial rights throughout States for newly patented automobile accessory; excellent opportunity for men able to organize. Mitchell & Livingston, Mohawk Building, 160 5th Av.

ATTENTION EXPORTERS.
New York exporter leaving for South and Central America; have you any shipments refused or proposition to offer? Leon Labe, Rector 5126.

MACHINE work, patterns, castings, finished machines; lowest overhead possible. E. Worthmann Co., 5 Mulberry St., New York City.

GERMAN business connections made through advertising in Germany. M. J. Klein, World Bldg.

FOR SALE.

WE ARE SPECIALISTS IN GARAGES.
LARGEST SELECTION; BONA-FIDE PROPOSITIONS FROM $2,500 TO $75,000; MONEY ADVANCED WHEN REQUIRED. L. SCHLEIFER CO., TIMES BLDG., B'WAY AND 42D ST. 156 RIVINGTON ST., NEAR WILLIAMSBURG BRIDGE PLAZA.

GARAGE LEASE for sale, four-story steel and concrete building, suitable for trucking corporation, 428 West 19th St.; 21-year lease from Feb. 1, 1924; inspection invited if interested. Apply to Petersen-Fennell, Inc., 145 West 45th St.

GARAGE.
Best garage on the west side; capacity 125 cars; average $50 storage per month; yearly profits $25,000; good will for sale; $25,000 cash required. Inquire John Varady, 212 East 11th St., N. Y., bet. 2 and 4 P. M.

AUTOMOBILE renting business for sale, 3 cars, high-class trade; will consider selling stand separate; reason, leaving city. K 304 Times.

NEW GARAGE, capacity 350; now 275 cars; leaving city. McDonald, 494 East 157th St., Bronx.

BUSINESS LOANS.

MONEY advanced on notes and trade acceptances, open accounts and other good securities. V 660 Times Downtown.

BUSINESS NOTICES.

CASH ADVANCED ON OPEN ACCOUNTS, TRADE ACCEPTANCES AND NOTES PURCHASED. CAPITAL, 317 TIMES.

LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT, Southern District of New York.—AMOSKEAG MANUFACTURING COMPANY, Complainant, against BAUMAN CLOTHING CORPORATION, Defendant.—To all creditors of Bauman Clothing Corporation, Bauman Clothing Corporation and to all other persons interested in said estate,

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that pursuant to an order of this court, dated November 3, 1920, the undersigned receivers will on January 4, 1921, at 10 o'clock a. m., at the office of S. T. Leidesdorf & Co., 447 Fifth Avenue, New York City, receive sealed bids for the property and assets of the defendant described below:

Parcel 1.

The entire contents of the premises occupied by the defendant in the Myrick and Crane Buildings, Springfield, Mass., consisting of factory equipment, machinery and machinery parts, excepting about fifty-five pressing machines claimed by the U. S. Hoffman Machinery Co. under a certain conditional bill of sale; electrical and other equipment and pipe fittings and all other fittings; office furniture and equipment, excepting such fixtures as may be so affixed to the real estate as to be a part thereof. This parcel also includes all the right, title and interest of the receivers and defendant in and to any leases or agreements held by or for the defendant relating to the use or occupation of the premises.

Parcel 2.

All factory equipment, machinery and machinery parts, excepting about fifty-five pressing machines claimed by the U. S. Hoffman Machinery Co. under a certain conditional bill of sale; electrical and other equipment, pipe fittings and all other fittings; office furniture and fixtures contained in the premises occupied by the defendant in the Myrick Building, Springfield, Mass., excepting such fixtures as may be so affixed to the real estate as to be part thereof.

Parcel 3.

All factory equipment, machinery and machinery parts, excepting about fifty-five pressing machines, claimed by the U. S. Hoffman Machinery Co. under a certain conditional bill of sale; electrical equipment, pipe fittings and all other fittings; office furniture and fixtures contained in the premises occupied by the defendant in the Crane Building, Springfield, Mass., excepting such fixtures as may be so affixed to the real estate as to be part thereof.

Parcel 4.

All office furniture and fixtures contained in the premises occupied by the defendant in the Crane and Myrick Buildings, Springfield, Mass., excepting such fixtures as may be so affixed to the real estate as to be part thereof.

Parcel 5.

All the right, title and interest of the receivers and defendant in and to any leases or agreements held by or for the defendant relating to the use or occupation of the premises occupied by the defendant in the Crane and Myrick Buildings, Springfield, Mass.

No bids will be received except for one or more entire Parcels set forth as above.

The receivers reserve the right, subject to approval by the court, to award the property to bidders for Parcel 1, or to bidders for separate Parcels other than Parcel 1, in the event that the aggregate of such separate Parcel bids exceeds the bids for Parcel 1.

All of the above property and assets are offered for sale without representation or warranty as to quality or condition and no allowance will be made to purchasers except for shortage for quantity as now contained in the said premises. Bidders are invited to make inspection of the same before submitting bids.

All bids must be accompanied by a certified check to the order of the receivers for not less than twenty (20%) per cent of the amount thereof. The balance of the purchase price to be paid by successful bidders will be payable not later than five days from date of confirmation of sale.

All property purchased must be removed from the premises within five days from date of confirmation of sale and purchasers will be required to properly indemnify the receivers against any obligations incurred by or charged against them thereafter by reason of the continued use or occupation of the premises. Purchasers will also be required to effect their own insurance on all property purchased, to take effect within five days from date of confirmation of sale.

The receivers and the court reserve the right to reject any and all bids for any of the above assets offered for sale. All sales are subject to confirmation by the court. A hearing on confirmation will be held before Hon. Martin T. Manton, Circuit Judge, at Room 235, Post Office Building, New York City, on January 4, 1921, at 3 o'clock, at which time any party interested may make such objection to the confirmation of the sale or apply for such other relief as he may deem advisable.

Further particulars as to the above sale may be had on application to the offices of the receivers and their attorneys, or at the respective plants of the Bauman Clothing Corporation. The properties will be open to inspection by prospective bidders from 10 a. m. to 4 p. m. daily until January 3, 1921.

Dated, New York, December 23, 1920.
SAMUEL D. LEIDESDORF,
JOHN B. JOHNSTON,
Receivers.
ALLEN R. MEMHARD, HENRY H. KAUFMAN, 120 Broadway, New York, N. Y., Solicitors for Receivers.

BANKRUPTCY SALES.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE United States for the Southern District of New York.—In Bankruptcy.—In the matter of JOHN WAHL COMMISSION CO. against PHILIP CUTLER, SAMUEL CUTLER and PAUL CUTLER, co-partners doing business under the firm name of CUTLER BROS., Bankrupt.—Chas. Shongood, U. S. Auctioneer for the Southern District of New York in bankruptcy, sells Tuesday, January 4, 1921, by order of the Court, at 10:30 A. M., at 779 Bedford Avenue, Brooklyn, and immediately thereafter at 271 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, assets of the above bankrupt, consisting of rubber, metals, machinery, automobile trucks, &c., at 779 Bedford Avenue, Brooklyn, and office furniture and fixtures at 271 Broadway.
EINAR CHRYSTIE and HARRY BOYCE, Receivers.
CAMPBELL, FLAHERTY, TURNER & STROUSE, Attorneys for Receivers, 2 Rector Street, New York.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE United States for the Southern District of New York.—In Bankruptcy.—In the matter of ENVELOPE BAG & TAG CORP., Bankrupt.—Chas. Shongood, U. S. Auctioneer for the Southern District of New York in bankruptcy, sells Tuesday, January 4, 1921, by order of the Court, at 2 P. M., at 30 West 13th Street, Borough of Manhattan, assets of the above bankrupt, consisting of manufactured envelopes and tags, paper, machinery, fixtures, &c. Also the Receiver's right, title and interest in and to the unexpired term of lease of said premises.
ROBERT C. LEE, Receiver.
H. & J. J. LESSER, Attorneys for Receiver, 305 Broadway, New York.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE United States for the Southern District of New York.—In Bankruptcy. In the matter of ISRAEL M. JAWITZ and PHILIP JAWITZ, individually and as co-partners trading as I. M. JAWITZ & SON, Bankrupt.—Chas. Shongood, U. S. Auctioneer for the Southern District of New York in bankruptcy, sells this day, Tuesday, December 28, 1920, by order of the Court, at 2:00 P. M., at 58 Greene Street, Borough of Manhattan, assets of the above bankrupt, consisting of furs, skins, etc.
J. CLIFFORD McCHRISTIE, Receiver.
ZALKIN & COHEN, Attorneys for Receiver, 49 Chambers Street, New York.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE United States for the Southern District of New York.—In Bankrutpcy.—In the matter of WALTER H. PEAL CO., INC., Bankrupt.—Chas. Shongood, U. S. Auctioneer for the Southern District of New York in bankrutpcy, sells Monday, January 3, 1921, by order of the Court, at 2:00 P. M., at 137 Wooster Street, Borough of Manhattan, assets of the above bankrupt, consisting of ladies' hats, hat frames, raw material, machinery, fixtures, etc.
SAMUEL HERSHENSTEIN, Receiver.
ZALKIN & COHEN, Attorneys for Receiver, 49 Chambers Street, New York.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE United States for the Southern District of New York.—In Bankrutpcy.—In the matter of AMERICAN PETTICOAT CO., INC., Bankrupt.—Chas. Shongood, U. S. Auctioneer for the Southern District of New York in bankruptcy, sells Monday, January 3, 1921, by order of the Court, at 10:30 A. M., at 438 East Houston Street, Borough of Manhattan, assets of the above bankrupt, consisting of petticoats, bloomers, piece goods, machinery, fixtures, etc. MAX CEDERBAUM, Receiver.
ZALKIN & COHEN, Attorneys for Receiver, 49 Chambers Street, New York.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE United States for the Southern District of New York.—In Bankruptcy. In the matter of LYNN & COHEN, Bankrupt.—Chas. Shongood, U. S. Auctioneer for the Southern District of New York in bankruptcy, sells this day, Tuesday, December 28, 1920, by order of the Court, at 2:00 P. M., at 58 Greene Street, Borough of Manhattan, assets of the above bankrupt, consisting of furs, skins, etc.
BERNARD VORHAUS, Receiver.
ROSENTHAL & HEERMANCE, Attorneys for Receiver, 2 Rector Street, New York.

ASSIGNEE SALES.

SUPREME COURT, NEW YORK COUNTY.—In the matter of the General Assignment for the benefit of creditors of JACOB P. REINSTEIN and DAVID REINSTEIN, copartners, trading as J. P. REINSTEIN & SON—Notice is hereby given that the undersigned Assignee will sell at public auction, through Charles Shongood, Auctioneer, this day, Tuesday, the 28th of December, 1920, at 10:30 A. M., at 119 West 23d Street, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, property and assets of the above estate, consisting of skins, fur coats, trimmings, linings, machinery, fixtures, &c.
MARCUS HELFAND Assignee.
SILVER & MOSKOWITZ, Attorneys for Assignee, 299 Broadway, New York.

LANDING PLACE OF THE PILGRIMS.
Pilgrims of 1920 cheering Vice-President-elect and Mrs. Calvin Coolidge beside Plymouth Rock at the tercentenary celebration of the landing of the Pilgrims, depicted in the Rotogravure Picture Section of THE NEW YORK TIMES next Sunday.—Advt.

THE WEATHER

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—Pressure fell decidedly Monday over the Northeastern States and over the Far Northwest, and disturbances of marked intensity were central off the Southeastern New England Coast and over Northeastern Alberta Monday night. Pressure was high Monday over all sections from the Mississippi River westward, except along the Northern border from the North Pacific Coast eastward to North Dakota.

Snow has fallen within the last twenty-four hours in the Northern, snow and rain in the Middle and rain in the Southern sections east of the Mississippi River. Snow has also fallen in the Northern Rocky Mountain region and rain along the North Pacific Coast.

The weather became much colder Sunday night and Monday over the Plains States, the upper lake region, the Mississippi and Lower Ohio Valleys and the West Gulf States, while there was a marked rise in temperature Monday in Montana and the Canadian provinces to the northward.

The outlook is for generally fair weather in the States east of the Mississippi River Tuesday and Wednesday, except snow flurries are probable Tuesday in the region of the Great Lakes, Northern New England and Northern New York.

The temperature will be considerably lower Tuesday and Tuesday night in the region of the Great Lakes, the Upper Ohio Valley and the Atlantic States, and freezing temperature is probable in Northern Florida Tuesday night. The weather will continue cold in the Atlantic States Wednesday, while there will be a reaction to higher temperature west of the Appalachian Mountains.

FORECAST TODAY AND WEDNESDAY.

New Jersey—Fair and colder Tuesday; Wednesday fair and continued cold.

Northern New England—Unsettled Tuesday, probably snow north portions of Vermont and New Hampshire and Northern and Eastern Maine, colder in New Hampshire and Vermont; Wednesday fair and colder.

Southern New England—Cloudy Tuesday, colder on the south coast; Wednesday fair and colder.

Eastern New York—Partly cloudy and colder in south, snow flurries and colder in north portion Tuesday; Wednesday fair and colder.

Western New York—Snow and much colder Tuesday; Wednesday generally fair.

The temperature record for the twenty-four hours ended at 11 P. M., taken from the thermometer at the local office of the United States Weather Bureau, is as follows:

	1920.	1919.		1920.	1919.
3 A. M.	30	34	4 P. M.	33	38
6 A. M.	32	32	6 P. M.	35	37
9 A. M.	36	32	9 P. M.	36	35
12 M.	39	36	11 P. M.	36	..

This thermometer is 414 feet above the street level. The average temperature yesterday was 36; for the corresponding date last year it was 34; average on the corresponding date for the last thirty-three years, 32.

The temperature at 8 A. M. yesterday was 32; at 8 P. M. it was 35. Maximum temperature, 43 degrees at 10:30 A. M.; minimum, 28 degrees at 12:10 A. M. Humidity, 98 per cent. at 8 A. M.; 92 per cent. at 8 P. M.

The barometer at 8 A. M. yesterday registered 29.91 inches; at 8 P. M. it stood at 29.73 inches.

Weather in Cotton and Grain States

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—Weather forecast:

Ill. and Mo.—Fair Tues. and probably Wed.; rising temperature.

Wis.—Fair Tues. Wed., increasing cloudiness, rising temperature.

Minn.—Increasing cloudiness Tues., with snow in n. and w. Wed., unsettled; rising temperature.

Iowa—Fair Tues. and probably Wed.; rising temperature Tues.

N. Dak.—Possibly light snow Tues., with rising temperature. Wed., unsettled.

S. Dak.—Cloudy Tues.; possibly snow in e.; rising temperature. Wed., unsettled.

Neb. and Ark.—Fair Tues. and probably Wed.; rising temperature Wed.

Mon.—Unsettled Tues. and probably Wed.; rising temperature.

Wyo.—Fair Tues. and probably Wed., except possibly snow in extreme n. w.; not much change in temperature.

N. C., S. C. and Ga.—Clear and colder Tues. and Tues. night.; Wed. fair, continued cold.

Fla.—Generally fair Tues. and Wed.; much colder Tues. and Tues. night, with freezing temp. in n. Tuesday night.

Extreme N. W. Fla., Ala. and Miss.—Fair, continued cold Tues.; Wed. fair, with rising temp.

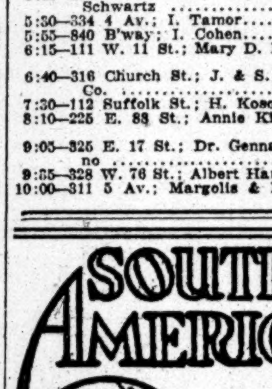
Tenn. and Ky.—Fair Tues. and Wed.; colder in e. Tues.; rising temp. Wed.

Ohio—Generally fair, somewhat colder Tues., except probably snow flurries near Lake Erie; Wed. fair, with rising temp.

Ind.—Fair, continued cold Tues.; Wed. fair, with rising temp.

Fire Record.

A. M.		Loss.
1:15	Pier 10, East River, steamship Lake Marion, Munson Line	Not given
1:50	43 Vandewater St.; Mary Parise	Slight
2:25	2,570 Marion Av.; Schultz & Co.	Slight
2:45	428 E. 9 St.; M. Gruber	Slight
4:40	36 St. & Lexington Av.; U. S. mail truck	Slight
8:25	245 East Houston St.; Bershofsky & Stafsky	Not given
9:45	2,783 8 Av.; M. Schoniber	Not given
10:50	250 E. 77 St.; J. White	Not given
11:20	142 Mulberry St. (auto); A. Marcolino	Not given
P. M.		
12:15	230 W. 144 St.; Carey Co.	Not given
12:15	444 W. 49 St.; C. Schmidt	Not given
12:40	949 3 Av.; J. Sullivan	Not given
12:50	2,061 Madison Av.; Mary Ford	Not given
3:25	2,108 1 Av.; A. Dobb	Not given
3:45	238 E. 75 St.; T. Godfrey	Not given
4:20	163 W. 122 St.; D. Arias	Not given
5:10	20 Bond St.; Dorfman & Schwartz	Not given
5:30	334 4 Av.; I. Tamor	Not given
5:55	840 B'way; I. Cohen	Not given
6:15	111 W. 11 St.; Mary D. Ennelly	Not given
6:40	316 Church St.; J. & S. Leather Co.	Not given
7:30	112 Suffolk St.; H. Kosover	Not given
8:10	225 E. 88 St.; Annie Kirschner	Not given
9:05	325 E. 17 St.; Dr. Gennaro Doyno	Not given
9:35	328 W. 76 St.; Albert Harris	Not given
10:00	311 5 Av.; Margolis & Kraner	Not given



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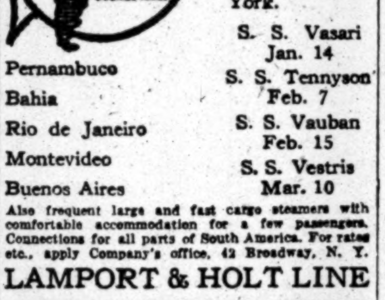

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SHIPPING AND MAILS

THE TIDES.

	Sandy Hook. A. M.	Sandy Hook. P. M.	Governors Island. A. M.	Governors Island. P. M.	Hell Gate. A. M.	Hell Gate. P. M.
High water	9:44	10:20	10:07	10:48	11:49	..
Low water	3:34	4:13	4:02	4:45	5:57	6:34

THE SUN.

Rises. A. M.	Sets. P. M.
7:19	4:36

Incoming Steamships.

ARRIVED YESTERDAY.

Steamer.	From.	Sailed.
Tashmoo	Belfast	Dec. 1
R. H. Thompson	Vera Cruz	Dec. 16
War Bharata	Tuxpam	Dec. 19
Coamo	San Juan	Dec. 22
Biran	Brest	Dec. 7
Dayton	Tampico	Dec. 19
Antietam	Tampico	Dec. 18
Louisiana	Antwerp	Dec. 2
Leguria	Liverpool	Dec. 10
Iocaste	Dunkirk	Dec. 5
Stavangerin	Curacao	Dec. 18
Amelia	Port Antonio	Dec. 21
Mattoll	Lobos	Dec. 19
Watertown	Lobos	Dec. 19
Cretic	Boston	Dec. 26

DUE TODAY.

Steamer.	From.	Sailed.
Valaira	Liverpool	Dec. 14
Rochambeau	Havre	Dec. 18

DUE TODAY.

Steamer.	From.	Sailed.
City of Montgomery	Savannah	Dec. 24
Mar Cantabrico	Hamburg	Dec. 10
Mesaba	Portsmouth	Dec. 13
Eastern Crown	Blyth	Dec. 10

DUE TOMORROW.

Steamer.	From.	Sailed.
Kroonland	Southampton	Dec. 19
Ninian	Manchester	Dec. 15
Rosalind	Halifax	Dec. 27
Fort Hamilton	Bermuda	Dec. 27
Munamar	Antilla	Dec. 24
Santa Teresa	Valparaiso	Dec. 10

DUE THURSDAY.

Steamer.	From.	Sailed.
Vasari	Liverpool	Dec. 18
America	Naples	Dec. 18
Leitrim	Sydney	Nov. 26
Caronia	Cherbourg	Dec. 21
Tivives	Colon	Dec. 23

Outgoing Steamships Carrying Mail

SAIL TODAY.

Steamer. Destination.	Mails Close.	Vessels Sail.	Carries Mail For
Nieuw Amsterdam, Rotterdam	8:00 A.M.	12:00 M.	Holland, Germany, Austria.
Carmania, Liverpool	8:00 A.M.	12:00 M.	Great Britain and Ireland.
Calabria, Patras	9:00 A.M.	12:00 M.	Greece, Italy.
Canopic, Naples	12:00 M.	3:00 P.M.	Italy.
Giuseppi Verdi, Naples	12:00 M.	3:00 P.M.	Italy.
Carrillo, Colon	8:00 A.M.	11:00 A.M.	Central America, West Indies.
Siberian Prince, Santos	12:00 M.	3:00 P.M.	South Brazil, Argentina.

SAIL TOMORROW.

Steamer. Destination.	Mails Close.	Vessels Sail.	Carries Mail For
Olympic, Southampton	9:00 A.M.	1:00 P.M.	Europe, Africa, West Asia.
Santa Luisa, Colon	7:00 A.M.	10:00 A.M.	West coast ports of South America.
Quillota, Guayaquil	8:00 A.M.	12:00 M.	Ecuador, Panama.
Caracas, San Juan	9:30 A.M.	12:00 M.	Central America.
Lake Sebago, Haiti	12:00 M.	3:00 P.M.	Dutch and French Guiana.
L'ke Narka, St. Thomas	12:00 M.	3:00 P.M.	West Indies.

SAIL THURSDAY.

Steamer. Destination.	Mails Close.	Vessels Sail.	Carries Mail For
Drottningholm, Gothenburg	10:30 A.M.	2:00 P.M.	Sweden, Latvia, Finland.
Susquehanna, Bremen	9:30 A.M.	12:00 M.	Germany, Poland.
Bereby, Senegal	12:00 M.	3:00 P.M.	West Africa, Gold Coast.
Ripley Castle, Cape Town	12:00 M.	3:00 P.M.	South Africa.
St. Patrick, Rio Janeiro	7:00 A.M.	10.00 A.M.	South Brazil.
Mayaro, Trinidad	7:00 A.M.	10:00 A.M.	West Indies, Demerara.
St. Bede, Santos	8:30 A.M.	11:00 A.M.	Argentina, Uruguay.
Tungus, Turks Island	12:00 M.	3:00 P.M.	Santo Domingo City.

Other Outgoing Steamships

Steamer & Destination.	Time of Sailing. Date.	Time of Sailing. Hour.
Paris City, Bombay	Dec. 28	12:00 M.
City of Benares, Bombay	Dec. 30	12:00 M.
Oswotomee, London	Dec. 30	10:00 A.M.
Buffalo Bridge, Bilbao	Dec. 31	12:00 M.
Montana, London	Dec. 31	12:00 M.
Missouri, London	Dec. 31	10:00 A.M.
Alexandrian, Liverpool	Jan. 2	12:00 M.

By Wireless.

SS Kroonland, incoming from Southampton and Antwerp, was signaled; due Dec. 29, forenoon. Red Star Line.

SS Caronia, incoming from Cherbourg, via Halifax, was signaled; due Dec. 30, afternoon. Cunard Line.

SS Rochambeau, incoming from Havre, was signaled; due Dec. 28, forenoon. French Line.

Foreign Ports—Arrivals and Departures

ARRIVED.

Steamer.	At	Date.
Clan Buchanan	Port Natal	Dec. 22
Devon	Auckland	Dec. 23
Somerset	Sydney, N.S.W.	Dec. 23
Kaiserin Aug. Victoria	Liverpool	Dec. 25
Manhattan	London	Dec. 25
Navarino	Queenstown	Dec. 24
Dante Alighieri	Naples	Dec. 21
Stavangerfjord	Bergen	Dec. 21
Santa Rosa	Tocopello	Dec. 26
Oscar II.	Christiansand	Dec. 27

SAILED.

Steamer.	From	Date.
Matoppo	London	Dec. 26
Siddons	Santos	Dec. 23
Narragansett	Manchester	Dec. 24
Warmate	Avonmouth	Dec. 24
Yoko Maru	Portland, Eng.	Dec. 24
Kentuckian	Alexandria	Dec. 23
Aspinet	Shimonoseki	Dec. 21
Lake Grattan	Rio Janeiro	Dec. 23
San Gill	Belfast	Dec. 24
Admiral Cochrane	Cardiff	Dec. 25

Transpacific Mails.

Connecting mails close at G. P. O. and City Hall Station at 6 P. M. as follows:

Tahiti, Marquesas, Cook Islands, New Zealand and specially addressed mail for Australia, via San Francisco	Marama	Dec. 29
Japan, Korea, China (except Shanghai City), Siberia, French Indo-China and Netherlands East Indies, via Seattle	Suwa Maru	Dec. 31
Hawaii, Guam and Philippine Islands, via San Francisco	U. S. A. T. Sherman	Dec. 31
Hawaii, via San Francisco	U. S. A. T. Sheridan	Jan. 1
Hawaii and specially addressed mail for Japan, Korea and China, via San Francisco	Persia Maru	Jan. 3
Japan, Korea, China, Siberia, French Indochina, Netherlands East Indies (except Sumatra) and Philippine Islands, via Vancouver and Victoria, B. C.	Empress of Russia	Jan. 8
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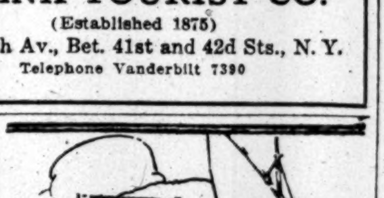

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VESTRIS	Liverpool	Jan. 22	——	——
ITALIA	Vigo, Patras, Dubrovnik and Trieste	Feb. 1	——	——
AQUITANIA	Cherbourg and Southampton	Feb. 3	Feb. 26	Mar. 22
ALBANIA (New)	Plymouth, Cherbourg and London	Feb. 8	Mar. 15	Apr. 19
SAXONIA	Plymouth, Cherbourg and Hamburg	Mar. 1	Apr. 12	——
SCYTHIA (New)	Liverpool	Mar. —	Apr. 2	Apr. 23
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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE United States for the Southern District of New York.—In Bankruptcy. In the matter of STIENEN DYEING CORP., Bankrupt.—Chas. Shongood, U. S. Auctioneer for the Southern District of New York in bankruptcy, sells this day, Tuesday, December 28, 1920, by order of the Court, at 10:30 A. M., at 342 West 14th Street, and immediately thereafter at 675 Hudson Street, Borough of Manhattan, assets of the above bankrupt, consisting of bales of raw cotton, machinery used in the dyeing business, paints, oil, fixtures, etc.
B. W. B. BROWN, Receiver.
ARCHIBALD PALMER, Attorney for Receiver, 320 Broadway, New York.
Above sale adjourned until January 3, 1920, at same time and place.

PUBLIC NOTICES.

CHARLES ROESSLER HEREBY GIVES notice that he has sold his hardware and paint supply business at 198 Ferry Street, Newark, N. J., to Jacob Stern. All creditors should present their bills for payment to Samuel M. Hollander, Counsellor at Law, 790 Broad St., Newark, N. J.

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—Certificate No. E-119706 for ten shares Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway Company common stock, registered in the name of Alexander M. Rosenblum, probably lost in or about No. 120 Broadway, New York City; transfer stopped; appropriate reward. If found please notify Leonidas Dennis, 47 Cedar St., New York City.

LOST OR MISLAID—Policy No. 615,452, issued by The Penn Mutual Life Insurance Company, on the life of Robert M. Maclay. The finder will please return it to the undersigned. An application has been made for the issuing of a duplicate. M. J. Maclay, 560 5th Av.

LOST—A small blue fitted suitcase with black waterproof covering, marked V. M. B., Sunday, Dec. 26, on I. U. Willets Road, between Old Westbury and Albertson, Nassau County; reward for return. Communicate with R. L. Bacon, 14 Wall St. Telephone Rector 8800.

LOST—Brief case, tan cowhide, containing first volume of H. G. Wells's outline of history and other papers; probably lost in taxicab. Finder please return to Apt. 16, 42 West 9th St., or Room 2004, 5 Nassau St., and receive reward.

LOST—Corona typewriter, Sunday night, in taxi between Grand Central and York Hotel; letters B. F. on case; reward. Inquire Sutherland, York Hotel.

LOST—Sunday, small bead pocketbook, containing money; vicinity of St. Paul's Church, 59th St. and 9th Av.; reward. Hollis, Schuyler 8190.

LOST—Tan suitcase containing male apparel on Parkside Av., Brooklyn, 6 P. M. Sunday, Dec. 26; liberal reward. Return Lory, 1,065 41st St., Brooklyn. Sunset 4131.

LOST—Pass book No. 9144, Soloman Schneider, of the Chatham & Phenix National Bank, 205 East 57th St., New York; payment stopped. Please return book to bank.

LOST—On Monday, small gray purse containing sum of money, in tea room Biltmore Hotel, between 4 and 5 P. M.; reward. Joice, 50 East 42d St.

LOST—Traveling bag about 2:30 P. M. Monday, on Brooklyn Bridge Station platform of subway; liberal reward. Fletcher, 394 Canal St. Canal 1992.

LOST—In Saks's, pocketbook containing gold wrist watch, initials A. R. C., personal papers, money; liberal reward. W 85 Times.

LOST—Silver headed cane, Saturday, Brown taxi; reward. Phone Muller, 2,783 Riverside.

LOST—Beaded bag, on 7th Av. bus; liberal reward. Cashier, Hotel Biltmore.

REWARD $500—Lost black pocketbook, containing $2,500, bill of sale, Lorber's restaurant, evening Dec. 25; no questions asked. J. E. J., telephone 7402 Madison Square.

LIBERAL REWARD, no questions asked, for return of silver initialed S, taken from 348 West 42d St., Dec. 18. A 963 Times Downtown.

Jewelry.

LOST—Platinum ring; 1 large diamond, 6 chips in filigree; also platinum wedding ring, marked inside "E. B. M. & B. R. G., May 15, 1919"; both from Tiffany & Co. Return Mrs. Edward B. Mayer, 116 East 63d. Reward.

LOST—Diamond-onyx lady's pin, oval shaped, about 2 inches long, Sunday noon, somewhere between 90th St. and Broadway and the Church of the Blessed Sacrament, 71st and Broadway; liberal reward. 210 West 90th St., Apartment 2B.

LOST—Platinum bar pin, one large and a number of small diamonds, Sunday evening, between 72d St. station I. R. T. and Apt. 44, 371 Wadsworth Av.; liberal reward. Mrs. E. D. Warner, above address. Wadsworth 3355.

LOST—Man's ring, two sapphires and one diamond set in platinum, some time Christmas afternoon, between 51st and 35th Sts., near 5th Av.; suitable reward. Telephone H. T. Richardson, Madison Square 6030.

LOST—Gold wrist watch on black band, either on B. R. T. subway or Fulton St. Theatre section, Sunday evening; reward $10. C. Shumway, 56 New St., N. Y. C. Broad 2220. Ext. 45.

LOST—Beaded bag, containing wrist watch, initials L. M. E., keys, money, Monday morning, South Ferry local; reward. Miss Evans, 233 West 77th St. Telephone Schuyler 5543.

LOST—Christmas night, gold Delta Upsilon pin, pearls and diamonds, name on back; valued sentiment. Liberal reward if returned to R. P. Nichols, 1001, 31 West 43d.

LOST—Wednesday afternoon, one pearl earring with diamond on top. If found kindly return to 51 East 62d St., and suitable reward will be paid.

LOST—Friday afternoon, 47th St., Broadway and 7th Av. to Penn. Station, silver cigarette case, initials "F. A. K."; reward. Phone Sunset 8085.

LOST—Pearl necklace in taxi between N. Y. A. Club and 703 Lexington Av., Sunday; reward; no questions asked. Return 703 Lexington Av.

LOST—$25 reward; open-faced monogramed Howard watch, Christmas Eve, vicinity 149th St.-3d Av. Phone Carroll. Hanover 7120.

LOST—Sunday, silver mesh bag containing money, inscribed Beatrice L. Salzman, between 112th and 155th; reward. Bryant 4435.

LOST—Keepsake gold bracelet, 6 small diamonds, 19 small pearls; liberal reward. Jane Barnitz, 18 Broad St. Rector 9330.

LOST—Monday, platinum aquamarine and diamond lavaliere, Weehawken, 42d St.-5th Av.; handsome reward. Union 1608-W.

LOST—Diamond-sapphire bracelet at Hotel Biltmore on 19th; $90 reward; communicate Toplis & Hardin, 522 Fifth Av.

LOST—Platinum barpin, with one diamond and six pearls; suitable reward. Phone Columbus 1978.

LOST—Gold circle brooch, Friday; reward. Gilmore, Graham Court, 116 7th Av.

$100 REWARD

and no questions asked for return of platinum diamond-studded wrist watch taken from bath locker in Young Women's Christian Association, Friday afternoon, Dec. 24. Apply 24 Broad St., 9th floor.

$200 REWARD

for return of platinum and diamond bar pin, containing about 14 diamonds, lost Dec. 13 in 5th Av. shopping district. Black, Starr & Frost, 5th Av. and 48th St.

$250 reward for return of dinner ring set in platinum, 2 solitaires and smaller stones, lost Sunday evening, 110th St., between B'way and Amsterdam Ave. I. J. Cohen, 20 West 33d St., care of Solomon.

Wearing Apparel.

LOST—Dec. 27, a sable stole on Pittsfield afternoon express N. Y., N. H. & H. road, car 72, compartment A. Reward and no questions if returned to 995 Madison Av., apartment first floor, north.

LOST—Child's muskrat neckpiece, on or from 5th Av. bus., vicinity Washington Square; reward. O'Dell, 11 West 10th.

LOST—Package of unfinished gloves. Finder kindly call up University 6547.

Cats and Dogs.

LOST—White wire-haired fox terrier, black markings on head, in front of 105 West 86th, on Christmas morning; reward paid for return to above number. Telephone Schuyler 8450.

LOST—Friday, Airedale, full grown, 2 years, male, collar without inscription; answers to name Dough Boy; suitable reward for return. Whitney, 36 East 74th. Rhinelander 987.

LOST—Irish terrier, one year old, named Tim; strayed away vicinity of Forest Hills Christmas night; had no collar; reward. Phone Richmond Hill 2717.

LOST—Black French bulldog, male, vicinity 65th St. and Columbus Av.; reward, no questions asked. Remey, 127 Columbus Av.

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Lost, black French bulldog, male, vicinity 65th St. and Columbus Av.; no questions asked. REMEY, 127 Columbus Av. Tel. 2179 Columbus.

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for the return of French bull puppy, male, brindle, white spot on breast, lost Thursday; had harness blanket, collar. Ryan, 720 Riverside Drive. Audubon 7270.

Found.

FOUND—Sum of money, Broadway and 73d St.; will return upon identification. Apply 320 Central Park West, Apt. 2.

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BACK BILL TO MAKE CANAL IMPREGNABLE

Proposal Arising From Harding's Trip Is Supported in the House.

BIGGEST GUNS TO BE SENT

New Defenses on Both the Atlantic and Pacific Sides Are Planned.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27 (Associated Press).—Adequate protection for the Panama Canal from attacks of enemies from the air, land or sea is to be provided for in a bill soon to be drafted by the House Committee on Appropriations for Fortifications and Sea Coast defenses. Members of the committee are virtually agreed upon a plan to make the canal impregnable. It has been suggested unofficially to the members of the House in charge of appropriations that the canal must have the best of modern defenses. These suggestions were said today to have resulted directly from the recent inspection of the canal's fortifications by President-elect Harding and his party.

Plans to meet these suggestions, and at the same time to adhere strictly to the rules of economy laid down by House leaders, have been tentatively agreed to. They involve the sending of ordnance, including the largest calibred artillery pieces, to the canal as soon as they are produced. This ordnance includes guns which were authorized in 1918 for coast defense purposes, the first of which are to be delivered next Spring.

In addition to the canal's mainland defenses, the War Department has proposed the placing of several of the longest range rifles on an island about fifteen miles off the Pacific entrance. The committee members are said to have agreed to this proposal, and will authorize the placement of guns there as soon as the State Department can conclude diplomatic negotiations to that end.

The Atlantic entrance, under the present plans, will be provided with an elaborate system of tracks designed to carry the heaviest railroad artillery mounts with guns calibred to greater distances than those used by the most powerful dreadnoughts afloat.

House members believe that the canal can thus be made impregnable by the use of material now under construction and with only little additional expense to the Government.

NEW FRENCH OIL BILL.

Stringent Conditions for Companies in France's Territory.

PARIS, Dec. 27.—A large group of members of the Chamber of Deputies has introduced a bill in the Chamber providing for stringent additional conditions for oil companies in France, her colonies and protectorates.

The offices and the documents and accounts must be maintained in French territory. The State shall have the right to knowledge of all transactions and of correspondence and accounts. Secret agreements are forbidden. Two-thirds of the stock of companies must belong to French citizens or corporations, and two-thirds of the directors of companies, the treasurers, the managing directors, and technical directors and auditors must be French.

Existing companies in France shall have six months in which to comply with the terms of the new law, after which time failure to comply is liable to mean the sequestration of the companies. In case of war all plants are liable to requisition.

AIRPLANE PRISONER BACK.

Landed in Iowa Jail to Await Trial on Bad Check Charge.

Special to The New York Times.

MASON CITY, Ia., Dec. 27.—Returning to Britt, Ia., to face a charge of passing a worthless check for $1,300, Joseph Gadbury, aviator, from Tacamawa, spent last night in the county jail here. He was captured in Canada after a chase in an airplane.

"He insisted that we ride back in his machine," said the Hancock County officers, "but I did not fancy the air ride from Winnipeg in zero weather, and with a prisoner at that."

Gadbury was forced to leave his plane in the Canadian city. He is a graduate of the University of Iowa.

ART NOTES.

Lang-Yao Bottle, 1159, in Art House —Chinese Porcelains on View.

Thomas B. Clarke founded the "Art House," filled it with varied and beautiful objects, and from time to time dispersed these objects and continued to collect. Two years ago the Art House was incorporated, and Mr. Clarke retired from business. The present sale of Chinese porcelains, now on view at the American Art Galleries, is at the direction of the Art House Incorporated, Clarence J. Dearden, manager, but it includes the purchases of a quarter of a century made by the late Edward Runge, who, during two decades, bought for Mr. Clarke in China.

Naturally, the single-color porcelains, in which this astute collector specialized, are the great feature of the immense group, over twelve hundred pieces, with, as subsidiary features, remarkably fine examples of blue-and-white, famille-verte, and jades, ivories and crystal.

The single-color specimens make a magnificent appearance, ranging from light ash-gray to mirror-black, from sang-de-boeuf to apple-green, from peachbloom to lapis. While to a certain number of collectors the white and clair-de-lune porcelains always appeal as combining the perfect craftsmanship of their period with a reticence and aesthetic refinement deeply characteristic of the art they represent, such a collection as this, with its resonant hues so harmoniously assembled as to suggest a carillon of Flemish bells, places the favorites of the auction room on the highest plane. Such a sang-de-boeuf as the Lang-yao bottle, 1159, fourteen inches high and exquisitely graceful, cannot be surpassed by any piece not of its own family. Mr. Dana H. Carroll in his catalogue note says that it is "comparable with the noted bottle in the Morgan collection known as 'The Ruby,' which is of similar form and two inches taller, and remains in Mr. Morgan's private possession." The Art House bottle is "notable in its sang-de-boeuf color quality, from the fluent stream to the modified tones of congelation, its brilliant surface of softened, not aggressive reflections." This characteristic Lang-yao glazing, the flow of color carrying its subtle symbolism throughout its course, appears in other specimens, much less distinguished in form, but only slightly less splendid in the graded red.

The chrysanthemum peachbloom bottle (1150) also is given an important place in the exhibition, the arrangement of which is a true guide to the rank of the different examples. Here again we have elegance and symmetry entirely free from the dead formality found in imitations of Eastern art. The curve of the contour is like the curve of a flower petal, organic and instinct with life. The color is unusually delicate, faintly grayed and slightly mottled.

A celadon bottle between two magnificent examples of mirror-black illustrates the power of a fine arrangement to enhance the beauty of individual examples, and the placing of the small specimens in the collection is especially admirable. Mr. Carroll reminds his public of the difficulty in recent years of drawing fine Chinese porcelains from the country of their origin and asks, "Where may we look to buy fine porcelains, when the Chinese and Japanese are themselves now buying back choice examples of this Celestial fictile art both from Europe and Asia?" Evidently a strong response is expected to the strong appeal made by the collection and the result undoubtedly will constitute an interesting comment upon the present mood of the American collectors, who have made, hitherto, a long-sighted and courageous auction room public.

VIENNA CHRISTMAS SAD.

City Employes Learn Money for Salaries Is Lacking.

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VIENNA, Dec. 27.—Christmas in Vienna was a decidedly dull affair. Apart from the weather conditions, which were at their worst, a certain risk attached to going out of town owing to strikes, actual and threatened, on the railways, while many other strikes which were likewise pending gave a horrible atmosphere of uncertainty. Christmas morning, too, brought a depressing statement in the press of the financial state of the municipality of Vienna, which was not conducive to raising spirits already drooping sadly.

Both the Government and municipality have recently stated they had simply no money to allow them to consider demands for bonuses by their various employes. Now the city fathers stated on Christmas morning that their salaries and wages bill to the end of December would amount to 75,000 kronen and they did not know exactly where to find the full amount.

Many foreigners came to Vienna to buy Christmas stocks and a spurious air of prosperity was given by crowds in the shops and by large purchases, chiefly of furs, antiques and objects of art, but these foreigners disappeared in time to resell at home and Vienna was once more up against the fact that only her millionaires could go shopping.

Outside the inner city where foreigners and millionaires do not go, Christmas was pathetic. The shops, to begin with, were not enticing with their scanty stores and the people living there can rarely buy anything beyond the strict necessities of life, which not everyone can afford.

BRAUER NOT OFFICIAL AGENT

So Say German Authorities of Plan to Get Credit Here.

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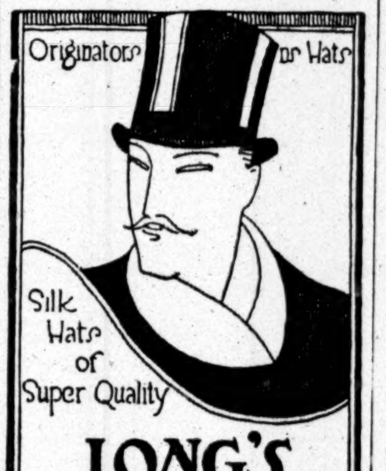
BERLIN, Dec. 27.—William W. Brauer's contract with the Finance Ministry to arrange a credit of $1,000,000,000 in America expired long ago. No other such arrangements exist today, but it has been officially stated that Germany is willing to have Brauer or any one else arrange for the purchase on credit in America of $1,000,000,000 worth of foodstuffs and raw materials.

Brauer was in Berlin more than a year ago when Herr Erzberger was Financial Minister. Erzberger was interested in Brauer's plan to obtain the credit and told him to try to interest Americans in the matter. According to officials here, Brauer was only one of many brokers who have tried to raise the money for Germany.

Nothing officially is known concerning the agreement at the Foreign Office, it is said, except that it was an arrangement between Brauer and Erzberger, who no longer represents the Government.



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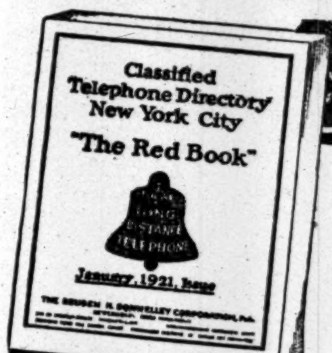

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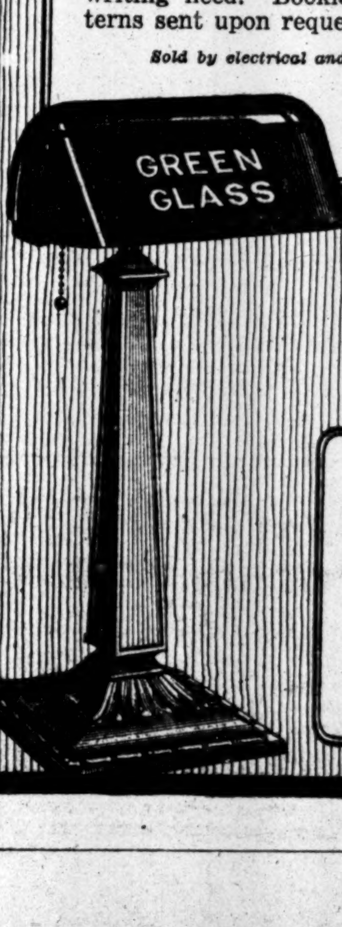

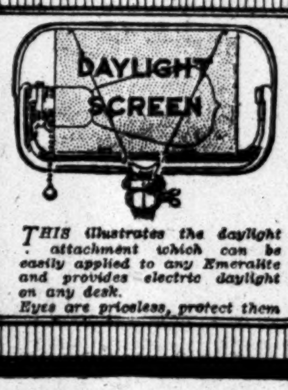

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